

ISRAEL CALLS ON WORLD TO HALT TERRORISTS

By DAVID LANDAU
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Israel called on the nations of the world yesterday to take effective measures to wipe out Arab terrorism.

Speculation on reprisal

The stern tones of the Government's statement caused some observers in Jerusalem to speculate on the possibility of Israeli action against the terrorist bases in neighboring countries.

There have been reports that Israel asked the Olympic organizers before the games to be allowed to make its own security arrangements.

There have also been reports that the Israelis in Munich were not allowed to take an active part in the rescue operation.

Several ministers gave vent to their feelings of shock and revulsion before the Cabinet session.

Interior Minister Yosef Burg spoke of a "Tisha Be'Av" before Rosh Hashana.

U.S., Bonn urged to quit

Jerusalem Post Diplomatic Correspondent
Israel has asked the U.S. and West Germany to withdraw their teams from the Olympic Games, it is authoritatively learned last night.

Meanwhile, Reuter reported from Munich last night that four Dutchmen and 13 Norwegian athletes — almost a quarter of that country's squad — said they would leave the Games, disobeying their team's official line.

The Norwegian move came after news from the Philippines that President Ferdinand Marcos yesterday ordered the 77-member Philippine team home from the Olympics following what he termed the "violence and senseless death" of the Israeli hostages.

Arabs said leaving

MUNICH (Reuter). — Most of Egypt's and Syria's Olympic contingents left Munich by special flight yesterday and a spokesman for the Moroccan said a complete Arab withdrawal was possible.

Games resume

MUNICH (Reuter). — The 1972 Olympic Games resumed here yesterday after the 24-hour suspension ordered because of the Arab terrorist attack on the Israeli team quarters.

The programme restarted with the handball match between world champions Rumania and Hungary. Events called off on Tuesday were being held yesterday evening and the remainder of the programme has been put back one day.

ists "as we have overcome all our enemies."

Speaking at a memorial rally of Jerusalem schoolchildren, later in the day, Interior Minister Burg criticized the decision reported from Germany to continue the Olympic Games.

Dr. Burg ordered all flags on public buildings to be flown at half-mast today until after the funeral ceremonies.

After the Cabinet meeting, Foreign Minister Abba Eban went into consultation with his senior staff to plan Israel's diplomatic and informational reaction to the Munich murders.

Israel's envoys abroad were instructed to stress that Israel holds the Arab states — and primarily Egypt — to blame for the terrorist attack.

Brandt plea to Arabs

Jerusalem Post Correspondent
BONN. — West German political parties demanded yesterday that Arab Governments withdraw their support from the Palestine terrorist movement following the murder of the Israeli athletes.

The shift in political attitudes here was in effect adoption of the Israeli standpoint that Arab Governments are responsible for terrorists operating from their territory.

But the Bonn government itself, at a special Cabinet meeting yesterday, appeared to be moving more cautiously. Spokesman Conrad Ahlers said Bonn would "of course" discuss the problem with Arab governments, but he stressed that these states have only "slight influences" over terror groups.

During negotiations with the terrorists Brandt appealed personally by telephone to Egyptian Premier Sidky.

Generally reliable sources here said Mr. Brandt sought Egypt's aid in ensuring that the Israeli athletes being held hostage in the Olympic Village be treated in accordance with the Geneva Convention.

SPECIAL FUND

MUNICH (Reuter). — A group of 12 Munich banks yesterday opened a special account for public donations for relatives of victims of the massacre.

The proceeds will go to the relatives of the 11 Israeli sportsmen and the West German policeman killed in tragedy.

Bodies of 11 victims flown back today HOW HOSTAGES DIED REMAINS UNCLEAR

By BRIAN ARTHUR
Jerusalem Post Correspondent

BONN. — There was no complete reconstruction yet available of the gruesome and confused happenings at Fuerstenfeldbruck airbase near Munich, where the nine Israeli Olympic sportsmen were killed by eight Arab gunmen late Tuesday night.

Apart from the nine Israelis, five terrorists and one West German policeman were killed. Together with the two Israeli members of the Olympic delegation murdered at Olympic Village by the terrorists early Tuesday morning the death toll of the Munich massacre was 17. Three terrorists were arrested (see page 2).

According to available information, several Arabs left the helicopters after landing to inspect a waiting Boeing jet which they had demanded by them to an unnamed Arab country with their Israeli prisoners. At this point gunfire broke out. There was a dispute yesterday as to who had opened fire, but Mr. Manfred Schreiber, the Munich police chief, said later in the day he "believed" it was the police.

(Bonn government spokesman Conrad Ahlers told a press conference it had been the intention of the German police to try to gun down the Arabs under the relatively favourable conditions of the open airport grounds.)

The Arabs immediately reacted by shooting up the airport tower and lights, plunging most of the area in darkness. They trained their machineguns on the helicopters and one helicopter went up in flames from an Arab grenade.

When German police finally gained control of the situation after killing five of the Arabs, they found the bodies of the Israelis, still bound hand and foot, as they had been ever since their capture on Tuesday morning, and riddled with bullets.

ON TAERMAC

Heinrich von Mosch, Bavarian Interior Ministry spokesman, said bodies of the nine Israeli victims were found on the tarmac as well as in one of the helicopters. Previously, reports indicated all the Israelis were killed aboard the helicopter.

The spokesman said the body of the police sergeant was found in the building of the military airfield. Arabs machinegunned the building. He said a German-speaking Arab, who appeared to be the leader of the terrorists, was among those killed.

He said it also appeared certain that one or more of the Arab attackers had been employed in the Olympic Village.

Many foreigners from all over the world were seen on by Olympic officials for the duration of the Games, as cleaners, technicians, translators, shop and bar attendants, gardeners and hostesses. Yesterday, security men were going through their records with a fine tooth comb.

The spokesman said there was no indication yet how and when the Arabs entered West Germany.

Asked about reports that Olympic authorities had received threats of possible terrorist action against the Israelis, von Mosch said, "in a very general form, yes, but nothing concrete."

He said a decisive element in the airfield tragedy was that the terrorists seized the helicopter pilots as hostages when they reached the

'A chance to prevent it'

Dr. Rene Burger, a physician for the Luxembourg delegation, said he witnessed the drama at the Israeli quarters from his balcony across the street. "I was a prisoner myself — of the police security," he said. "I could not go out. I could not eat. I saw the Israelis through the window, blindfolded and hands tied."

"Once there was a chance the police could have wiped out the whole band of terrorists in five seconds — boom, boom, boom, just like that. "The chief negotiator was outside the door. Another stood at a second floor window. A third looked down from the balcony on the third floor. Two were out in the open on the lower level. "With sharpshooters all in position — and I saw them — the whole police could have done the whole job quickly and cleanly with five shots. It would have prevented the tragedy at the airport."

airfield. This made it difficult for marksmen to pick out the terrorists in the floodlit darkness.

He said when the terrorists went to inspect the Lufthansa plane standing nearby, police feared they would spot policemen lurking in the vicinity.

He said there had been no possibility of trying to free the Israelis in the Olympic Village because they were bound hand and foot and the Arabs would have killed them.

The spokesman said the German negotiators originally tried to get the Arabs to agree to being transferred to the military airfield by daylight. But the Arabs refused. "We had to deal with people of unbelievable brutality."

Mr. Dietrich Genschler, the West German Federal Interior Minister, told the press he had offered himself as hostage to the Arabs when he went to negotiate with them at the Israeli quarters at the Olympic Village on Tuesday. He said Mr. Merk, Munich police chief Schreiber and Hans Jochem Vogel, the former mayor of Munich who was responsible for bringing the Olympic games to this city, had also offered to take the place of the hostages.

ENTERED ROOM

Mr. Genschler said the Arabs allowed him into the room where the hostages were being held, and he found them all bound hand and foot. They were guarded by two Arabs with sub-machineguns.

"It was able to see for myself that it would be impossible to rescue them from the Olympic Village," the West German Interior Minister said.

He said when he entered the room with the hostages the terrorist told him they were ready to shoot one hostage every two hours. This made him realize the seriousness of the situation.

"They told me they were not afraid of a shoot-out because they had taken into account the possi-

bility that they could all be killed, but they would kill all the hostages first," he added.

He said he had tried to extend the deadline by telling the terrorists he had talked with Egyptian authorities in Cairo where they had demanded to be flown — and that the Egyptians would probably not allow them to land in Cairo. The Arabs retorted that they would go ahead anyway and would negotiate with other Arab governments during the flight.

Mr. Merk said he was convinced the hostages would have faced certain death had they been flown to Cairo, because the Israeli government had refused to accept the terrorists' demands to release prisoners.

As the terrorists rejected all counter-proposals in day-long nego-

tations, German officials set up a trap of sharpshooters at Fuerstenfeldbruck Nato airbase 42 kms. west of Munich and prepared to snap it shut about 10 p.m.

At that hour the terrorists convinced they were being given safe passage — to Libya according to one report — left the Israeli apartment with their hostages and boarded three helicopters which had been flown into the Olympic village. They escorted their hostages, blindfolded and with hands bound, walking in single file and took off for the airport.

Streaks of dried blood were visible at the door step of Israeli apartment 2, building 31, at Olympic Village. Sombre athletes came by to pay a silent tribute or out of curiosity.

Memorial ceremony at Lod today

Jerusalem Post Staff

The Cabinet decided yesterday to accord the eleven victims an official funeral. The ceremony will be held today after their coffins arrive at Lod Airport at 2 p.m. Then the coffin of each victim will be taken to his own home town for burial — and a Cabinet Minister will participate in each burial service.

A special El Al jet will leave Munich with the coffins at 8.45 a.m. (Israel time).

Yesterday, the Chief Chaplain of the Army, Tat-Aluf Rabbi Mordechai Piron flew out to Munich at the head of a squad of army chaplains, to help the local rabbinate prepare the bodies for the flight home and burial.

The ceremony will begin at Lod Airport at 2 p.m. with a eulogy by Prime Minister Golda Meir. The bereaved families and other participants are requested to be at the airport by 1.30 p.m.

After the airport ceremony, the

funeral corteges will leave for the appointed places of burial. The arrangements are as follows:

- The cortège of Yosef Gottfreund will arrive at the Har Hanehuhot Cemetery in Jerusalem at 4.15 p.m.
The cortège of Zeev Friedman will arrive at the Haifa Cemetery at 5 p.m.
The cortège of Yosef Romano will arrive at the Herzliya Cemetery at 4 p.m.
The cortège of Yaakov Springer will arrive at the Holon Cemetery at 4 p.m.
The cortège of Moshe Weinberg will arrive at the Petah Tikva Cemetery at 3.45 p.m.
The cortèges of Eliezer Halpin, Mark Slavin, Kehat Shorr, Andre Spitzer and Amitzur Shapira will arrive at the Kiryat Shaul Cemetery in Tel Aviv at 4.15 p.m.
Any changes in the arrangements will be announced over this morning's news broadcasts.

Bonn claims Israel rejected more security

Jerusalem Post Correspondent

BONN. — West German spokesman Conrad Ahlers said yesterday the German security forces in the Olympic Village had suggested additional protective measures to their Israeli counterparts following vague "warnings" of possible trouble. But he claimed the Israelis were satisfied with the existing situation and did not consider increased security necessary.

Mr. Ahlers also stressed several times that Israel had not been willing to release 200 Arab prisoners in Israeli jails in compliance with terrorist demands.

He implied there was no other choice for the German authorities but to take the risk of shooting to free the Israelis.

Mr. Ahlers was the subject of a

hall of questions from journalists probing responsibility for the massacre.

The spokesman told a press conference that Israel, represented by Ambassador to Bonn Eliahu Eban, was constantly consulted on the course of the negotiations and contingency planning.

He said the plan was to get the abductors and their prisoners out of the Israeli living quarters where they were holed up and into more favourable surroundings permitting police to take action with a chance of saving the Israelis.

Mr. Manfred Schreiber, the chief of police in Munich, said last night Israel had been informed in advance of the airport ambush laid for the Arab terrorists and was aware it was a risky enterprise.

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Shock after early news of rescue

By ABRAHAM RABINOVICH

Jerusalem Post Reporter
Deep and unbelieving shock greeted yesterday morning's news bulletin that the nine Israeli hostages in Munich had been slaughtered.

Much of the country had gone to bed after midnight in the knowledge that the nine were safe and sound. The report by the German Federal spokesman that they had been rescued was relayed here shortly before 1 a.m. It was confirmed repeatedly by German sources until Israel Radio ceased its broadcasts at 3 a.m.

Premier Golda Meir heard the news in her residence in Jerusalem where she was following developments with Deputy Premier Yigal Allon and other advisers. She ordered a bottle of cognac to be broken out. Similar toasts were drunk by Israelis around the country, including the families of the men who had been held hostage.

When broadcasts resumed at 6 a.m., the news announcer grimly reported that despite earlier announcements "the mission has failed." No further details were given, apparently because next of kin had not all been notified. At 7 a.m., however, the stark news was spelled out. Emphasizing the cruel mistake were the banner headlines in the late editions of all morning newspapers reporting that the hostages had been rescued.

Bonn blames guard for wrong report

By BRIAN ARTHUR

Jerusalem Post Correspondent

BONN. — The incredible mix-up by which Bonn claimed late Tuesday night that all nine Israeli hostages in Arab hands were alive and free, only to announce their deaths three hours later, was due to a false report by a Bavarian border guard at the airbase where the fatal shootout with the Palestine terrorists occurred.

This version of the sequence of events which plunged Israel into joy and then shock was given by Bonn government spokesman Conrad Ahlers at a press conference yesterday. Mr. Ahlers was the official who announced the allegedly successful rescue operation over national-wide midnight television on Tuesday.

Ahlers explained that he himself got the misinformation via Chancellor Willy Brandt and Interior Minister Hans Dietrich Genscher, who in turn received the false report from the Bavarian official. Mr. Ahlers could not explain why there had been such a long time interval until the report was corrected. While blame for firing the first shot that touched off the most tragic incident in Olympic history remained a matter of dispute yesterday, the Bavarian Minister of Interior Affairs promised to clear up by today the true sequence of the airport massacre.

Appeal on ransom

TEL AVIV. — Mr. Elhanan Halpern, chairman of the Painters and Sculptors Association, has sent a letter to the secretary-general of UNESCO, asking his help to influence Soviet authorities to quash the ransom required of Jewish professionals who wish to emigrate. The Hebrew Writers Union has appealed to all writers' associations in the world with a similar request.

ANGUISH, DESPAIR OF THE BEREAVED

Five "Tm" reporters, Shaif Gahal, Haim Alroy, Meir Shoshani, Ya'acov Shalish and Yehoshua Marcus yesterday visited the bereaved families of nine of the Israeli victims of the terrorists attack in Munich. This is what they reported:

● **MABE SLAVIN:** Gloom settled yesterday over the Kiryat Herzog quarter of Russian immigrants in Bnei Brak as word of Mark Slaviv's death was received. Neighbours came to console the grief-stricken parents, crowding their small flat in the new apartment building at the edge of the quarter. The family had immigrated from the U.S.S.R. only three months ago. Mark's grandfather, Grisha Cerniak, said: "He loved Eretz Yisrael so much, young as he was, only 18. In Russia he was a promising wrestler, one of the youth champions, but he was constantly pressing the family to leave for Israel. Mark wanted to serve in the Israel

Defence Forces. That was his dream... that and sport. He was always saying: 'I want to bring honour to my country.'"

Mark was a member of Tel Aviv Hapoel and a student at the ulpan at Kibbutz Shefayim.
● **ELIEZER HALKIN:** Also an immigrant from the Soviet Union, Eliezer, 24, completed his military service only two months ago. He went to work as a mechanic in a Volkswagen garage and pursued his ambition to become a champion freestyle wrestler in the 78 kg. class. Here, too, neighbours came to console his parents — their eyes rimmed with tears — at their home in the Neve Sharett Quarter in Zehala. He was an only child. Still numb with shock his parents spoke little, but when they did, it was with bitterness: "Why did they agree to send them to an Arab country? Why didn't they look after them?"

Hussein's condolences Most Arab news media condone the massacre

BY ANAN SAFADI, Jerusalem Post Arab Affairs Reporter

In an unprecedented gesture, King Hussein of Jordan last night expressed his condolences to the bereaved families in Israel of the victims in Munich. Repeating his condemnation of Tuesday, the monarch in an interview with Amman Television again termed the incident a "shameful crime."

Jordan yesterday remained the only Arab country to come out with outright condemnation of the Munich massacre. The other Arab states maintained official silence although their news media condoned the outrage.

In Lebanon, the government issued an official statement following an extraordinary cabinet meeting expressing reservation over the Munich events which were said to have been a sign of "escalating despair" of the Palestinians. The government expressed "regret for the incident at Munich."
After King Hussein on Tuesday night deplored the attack by the "sick minded" terrorists, Jordanian Prime Minister Ahmed Lawzi yesterday denounced "the ugly crime." He expressed shock at the opera-

Nixon seeks action to combat terrorism

By SAM LIPSKI

Jerusalem Post Correspondent

WASHINGTON. — President Nixon yesterday instructed Secretary of State William Rogers to consult with other governments on an urgent basis to plan collective security measures against acts of international terrorism.

At a White House meeting in the wake of the Munich tragedy President Nixon conferred with Mr. Rogers and National Security Affairs Adviser Dr. Henry Kissinger on steps the U.S. could take both unilaterally and in concert with other nations to provide security for "Israeli citizens against terrorist acts and individuals who would be prone to terrorism."

It was understood here that this was a reference to prominent American Jews, such as Olympic gold medalist Mark Spitz, who it is now feared could become terrorist targets. White House press secretary Ronald Ziegler was purposely vague on the kinds of security measures under consideration during the 75-minute high level meeting this morning.

Mr. Ziegler said that the President had followed the events in Munich throughout Tuesday. After returning to Washington from California Monday night, he telephoned Ambassador Yitzhak Rabin who was in Canada to express his sympathy and summoned Secretary Rogers to the White House for a late night meeting with Dr. Kissinger. Yesterday Mr. Nixon asked Mr. Rogers to consult with Ambassador Rabin.

A special representative of the U.S. is expected to attend the funeral for the Israeli victims, but

● **KEHAT SHORE:** A neighbour of the Haldas at Neve Sharett Sad-faced children led me to his house, writes Shif Gahal. The door was open, and people were coming and going.

Kehat, 53, came to this country from Rumania at an early age. He worked for the Defence Ministry and sport was his hobby. A veteran coach of the national shooting squad, he also coached the Ramat Gan shooting team, rated Israel's best marksmen. His wife could not bear to sit with the friends who came to console her. From time to time she went into the bedroom, closed the door and could be heard weeping quietly. They had one child, a married daughter.

● **ZEEV FRIEDMAN:** In Kiryat Haim, near Haifa, the parents of Zeev Friedman had raised their glasses in toast on Tuesday night when they heard the false report that the nine Israeli hostages were safe. Four hours later the doorbell rang, and a representative of the Sports Authority broke the tragic news to them.

Zeev, a 28-year-old bachelor, was born in the Soviet Union and came to Israel with his parents in 1960. He immediately joined Kiryat Haim Hapoel, where he engaged at first in gymnastics and light athletics. But one day he tried his hand at weightlifting, and since then devoted himself to this sport. Training four to five times a week, he became Israel's best all-round weightlifter in the bantamweight division. In Munich he placed 12th in a competition of 24 athletes, beating his own record.

The manager of the local Hapoel club, Mr. Shimon Rot, told "Tm" that Zeev had told him before leaving for Munich that he had reached the zenith in his sports career. He planned to move to Carmiel and teach after he returned.

● **YOSEF GOTTFREUND:** When word reached the Gottfreund home in Jerusalem on Tuesday that Yosef was a hostage but still alive, his wife, Miriam, hurried to the West Wall to give thanks and to pray for his safety. Their two daughters, aged 12 and 14, had been sent home from the Denmark School earlier that day. Here, too, at dawn came the final announcement, and the family's spirit, lifted for a few hours by a false hope, turned to despair.

The girls did not go to school yesterday, staying home with their mother, surrounded by their father's trophies which lined the walls.

Yosef Gottfreund, 40, was a big man, weighing 120 kg. and over 190 cm. tall. In his youth in Rumania he was an enthusiastic wrestler. In 1950 he immigrated with his family to Israel, settling in Jerusalem, where he became Israel's only grade "A" international wrestling referee. These were his fourth Olympic games.

It was Yosef Gottfreund who saved the life of at least one of his fellow Israelis at the Olympic Village by pushing the door of his room shut as the Arab terrorists forced their way in. The delay enabled Israel weightlifting coach Tuvia Sokolsky to leap out of a window to safety.

● **DAVID BERGER:** There was no one home yesterday at the flat where ex-Cleveland weightlifter David Berger had lived alone in Tel Aviv. For Berger, 23, representing Israel at the Olympics was a goal he had set himself when he immigrated from the U.S. two years ago. Berger, a graduate of Columbia Law School, decided to immigrate after coming in 1969 to take part in the Maccabiah. He had spent the last year training at the Wingate Institute in Netanya for his Olympic appearance.

Berger leaves no close relatives in Israel. His parents, brother and sister remained in the U.S. when he immigrated.

● **YA'ACOV SPRINGER:** Some 700 pupils from Bat Yam's Ramot high school, where weightlifting coach Ya'acov Springer had taught since its founding in 1966, walked in procession to the house of their slain teacher yesterday to present their condolences.

The procession, led by Bat Yam Mayor Menahem Rothschild and the Ramot faculty, was received by the slain man's wife and children, Alex, 12th-grade student at his late father's school, and Shoshana, who occupied her Air Force service yesterday. Mrs. Springer asked tearfully why the hostage Israeli sportsmen had not been exchanged for Arab terrorists as their captors had demanded, saying "human life is more important than politics." She said that just two days ago she had received a postcard from her

husband saying he would be back by September 11.

Springer, '52, had been a boxer and weightlifter of note in Poland before immigrating to Israel. He was Israel's only "A" grade international weightlifting referee, and was at his fifth Olympics when murdered.

● **YOSEF ROMANO:** The large family of Libyan-born weightlifter Yosef Romano, 32, was still sitting gazed in their Herzliya homes yesterday trying to absorb the loss of the man who had been their pride and joy. Romano's young widow Ilana had still not recovered since collapsing on Wednesday afternoon on learning that her husband had been one of the two Israeli sportsmen murdered when the terrorists broke into the Israeli Olympic quarters.

Several of Romano's seven brothers and four sisters were staying at his home in Herzliya's Lomir quarter yesterday to look after the couple's three daughters, aged six, four and six months. Others were with Romano's parents, who have for years run a Herzliya grocery store.

It was announced yesterday that Romano would be buried in Herzliya after the state ceremony when the bodies return to Lod Airport. The Municipality also announced that all shops would be closed today from 1 p.m. until the end of the funeral. Romano, who had been hampered at the Olympics by a leg injury, had originally been scheduled to return yesterday for an operation.

Jerusalem Post Sports Reporter Paul Kohn writes:
● **AMITZUR SHAPIRA:** of Herzliya, leaves a wife and four children. In the early 1950s he was a 200-metres sprinter and later became a physical training teacher and successful coach. He taught at the Wingate Institute of Physical Education. The zenith of his career was reached with Esther Spachmanov who reached the semi-finals in the sprints and hurdles in the Munich Olympics.

At 1 a.m. yesterday, neighbours were congratulating Shoshana Shapira in her Herzliya home on the supposed rescue of her husband and the other Israeli hostages. Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Shapira, when she was finally able to speak, said she had not been sure but had hoped against hope that the early reports were true.

She said yesterday, "He only just turned 40 — he had his whole life in front of him. How am I going to raise my children? The sweetest month-old baby girl won't know what happened, but my five-year-old son will certainly feel the lack of his father."

Mrs. Shapira and the family have decided on burial in the Kiryat Shaul cemetery. Amitzur Shapira, a native of Tel Aviv, leaves four children, his parents, and a brother who lives in the U.S.

● **ANDRE SPITZER:** aged 27, of Ramat Gan, leaves a wife and a two-year-old baby. He was Israel's top fencing coach. Born in Rumania, where he was a fencer, Spitzer decided to become a fencing coach when he arrived in Israel. He later took a two-year fencing coach course in England. He coached the staff at Wingate. His wife and her family attended the Munich games.

3 terrorists being held in secret place

MUNICH (AP). — The three surviving Arab terrorists seized after a gun battle with the police on Tuesday night face multiple charges of murder, a Bavarian court official said yesterday.

A police spokesman identified the three Arabs in custody as Ibrahim Badran, 20, Abd el-Kadir el-Duway, and Samer Mohamed Abdulah. All said they were students. Their nationalities could not immediately be determined. The suspects claimed they had last lived in Jordan and Syria.

The three were wounded as the police tried to free the hostages. Five terrorists were killed. The survivors were not described as seriously wounded, and they were undergoing police interrogation at an undisclosed location. The police are remaining tightlipped because they fear an attempt might be made to liberate them.

Police throughout West Germany yesterday hunted 15 Arabs suspected on planning terror attacks, a police spokesman said.

84,000 attend service

MUNICH. — West German President Gustav Heinemann said yesterday that the responsibility for the "reckless crime" at Munich must be borne by "a criminal organization that believed that hatred and murder were means of political struggle," as well as "those countries which do not hinder the actions of these people."
Addressing the memorial service for the 11 murdered Israeli sportsmen, he appealed to all nations in the world to help overcome hatred, and prepare the way towards reconciliation of all people.

"All people in all parts of the world have realized in the last hours that hate only destroys. The victims of this assault call out to us to use all our strength to overcome hate," President Heinemann said.
The West German President was one of five speakers who addressed the huge crowd of 84,000 in the Olympic stadium, where the circle of flags flew at half-mast and the Olympic flame burned brightly.
Mr. Avery Brundage, President of the International Olympic Committee, announced yesterday as a day of mourning, and said the Games, with all their relatives and "the interrupted on Tuesday by the Arab

Shazar cables Heinemann

President Zalman Shazar yesterday cabled West German President Gustav Heinemann, expressing appreciation for the "sincere and moving statement" made by Mr. Heinemann during the memorial service at the Olympic stadium for the victims of the Munich massacre.

West German Chancellor Willy Brandt expressed his country's grief and deep sorrow at the tragic death of the Israeli Olympic team. In a telegram of condolence sent to Prime Minister Golda Meir, Mr. Brandt said "we bow before the dead, who have become victims of a senseless attack motivated by hatred. We express our sympathy with all their relatives and the entire Israeli people."

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In the Rosh Hashana Magazine:

Exclusive article by Abba Eban



The Foreign Ministers discussed the challenges and opportunities of the coming year, and analyses the accomplishments of the past, in an article written specially for the Rosh Hashana Magazine.

GALILI — The Soviet withdrawal from Egypt has lessened the immediate danger in the Middle East, says Minister Israel Gali in an interview with Misk Segal.

THE ARCHBISHOPS SPEAK — Lea Ben Dor comments on some recent statements of Archbishop Raya, Rabbi Meir Kahane and Dr. Nahum Goldmann.

BASIC INCOMPATIBILITY — Dr. Oded Eran of Tel Aviv University analyses Soviet-Egyptian relations.

THE SOCIAL GAP — Dr. Moshe Ater takes a look at the problems of poverty in Israel today.

PROBLEMS OF SOVIET IMMIGRANTS — Soviet immigrant doctors have had a particularly hard time finding suitable jobs in Israel. George Leonof explains why.

SETTLING THE WASTE-LAND — Almost 50 new villages have been established across the old "green line" since the Six Day War. Abraham Rabinovich reports.

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Social and Personal

Rumanian Ambassador Ion Cossavaci, accompanied by George Roata, first secretary, and Paul Marin, second secretary (commercial), yesterday toured the Weizmann Institute and were the luncheon guests of the President and Mrs. Albert Sablin.

A West German parliamentary delegation from the Siegen district of N. Westphalia, including two mayors and members of the regional parliament, now in Israel as guests of the Emeq Fefer Regional Council, visited the Hebrew University Medical Centre in Jerusalem yesterday.

A delegation of the World Bank, headed by Mr. B. Hansen and including Miss V. San-Lin and Mr. G. Maniatis, called on Mr. Mark Mosevici, President of the Manufacturers Association, at his office in Tel Aviv yesterday.

Prof. Maurice Green, of St. Louis University, Missouri, will lecture on "DNA and RNA Tumour Viruses: Mechanism of Cell Transformation and Role in Human Cancer" today, at 12 noon, in Lecture Hall Gimel, Hebrew University-Hadassah Medical School, Ein Karem, Jerusalem.

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Young Maccabeans, mayors return

Jerusalem Post Reporter
LOD AIRPORT. — Two groups of Israelis returning from Munich, a youth group and a party of mayors, said on arrival here yesterday that they had no guards or other protection until after the Arab terrorist attack at the Olympics.

The two groups consisted of 27 high-school-age members of Maccabi Hatzair who had been on a student exchange visit to Munich and a party of chairmen of local Councils who had been guests of German local authorities.

Tamir to revive bill asking for death penalty

TEL AVIV. — Gahal M.K. Tamir yesterday said he will revive his bill for imposing death penalty on members of terrorist organizations.

Mr. Tamir, chairman of the Knesset Ecology Committee, told a party meeting here: "The cry of anger that has encompassed the world after Munich is not the most effective reply to the bloodthirstiness of the terrorists." He reported having initiated contacts with members of other factions to mobilize support for his bill imposing capital punishment on terrorists.

We deeply mourn, together with the bereaved families, the tragic deaths of the

ISRAELI ATHLETES who lost their lives in Munich, among whom was DAVID BERGER a new immigrant from the U.S.A., a member of our organization. THE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICANS AND CANADIANS IN ISRAEL

"The Israel offices of the British and Australian Zionist Federations and the British Oim Society Ltd. mourn with the whole House of Israel the loss of eleven of their sons by the hands of brutal murderers. We extend condolences to all the bereaved families and pray that the Almighty may inscribe His people in the Book of Life, bestow upon them justice and tranquility, happiness and peace."

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Day-long vigil, demonstrations held outside Germany Embassy

By SARAH HONIG
Jerusalem Post Reporter

AVIV. — Tiny, narrow Rehov... here, where the German... is situated, was the site of... vigils, sit-down strikes and... demonstrations by Dan Region High... students all day yesterday... maintained solemn honour... in memory of the 11 slain... sportsmen and held protest... to demand an immediate stop... 20th Olympic Games... far the largest and noisiest... demonstrations took place at dusk... thousands of Tel Aviv's high... students crowded into the... street chanting that "The... cannot go on playing games... Jewish blood is split." They... many hundreds of Ramat Gan... students, who remained... of the embassy after their... 1,000-strong afternoon demon-... was over.



Demonstrators sit outside the German Embassy in Tel Aviv yesterday. (Israel Sun)

crowds of pupils had been... in front of the embassy... since the news of the Munich... was broadcast over the... They came to the embassy... meously and some of the... demonstrations drew... of pupils who stayed... from school to demand a halt... Olympics.

early-comers drew a huge... "11" in broad chalk marks... of the embassy and ar-... 11 traditional Jewish mem-... andials for the dead around it... of them maintained a day-... vigil, sitting silently around... and holding blown-up... graphs of the 11 murdered... and trainers.

At times, however, they broke... chants and songs such as "Am... Hai" (the people of Israel... Most pupils were in school... and all wore black ribbons... posters and placards were... into the usually calm, rest-... street, bearing such inscrip-... "Blood cannot be measured... mpic records." "Never again... ye for an eye." "Are you not... to keep on playing?" "Why no Olympic Solidarity for... There were many placards... of the five interlocking rings... of the Olympic Games, drip-... with blood, but the most num-... inscriptions by far were "Stop... names" and "Murder is not... German Ambassador, Jesco... uttkamer, and deputy press... e Dr. Herbert Hoffmann-Loss... and a number of the pupils'... tions. The pupils who had been... see him say he expressed deep... thy for their feelings about... tination of the games and... ed that the German Govern-... would do its utmost to root... rab terrorists cells in its own... demonstrators on the whole... police requests that they be... although there was often... to keep them off the side... immediately in front of the... e to the embassy. Many pur-... sessed that they did not dem-... onstrate against Germany but... the continuation of the... which, to their mind is in... contradiction to the solidarity... the world sportsmen and the... es they represent should... hown with their slain Israeli... ues and the grief-stricken Is-... ympic delegation. They feel,

they said, that the Germans, as... hosts of the games, could bring... about enough pressure to have them... closed.

The German Embassy had heavy... police protection and some of the... men guarding it were green-bereted... border patrolmen.

Thousands of Tel Avivians yes-... terday lined up at various places... to sign petitions calling for the death... penalty for terrorists. The petitions... were initiated by the Free Centre... Party.

A similar petition was passed... around at the Bar-Ilan University... campus, calling on the Israel Gov-... ernment to take tougher action... against terrorists. A second petition... called for an immediate halt to the... Olympic Games. Also at Bar-Ilan... the National Students Union lead-... ership held an emergency session last... night and decided to cable all... students' sports organizations asking... them to have their members boycott... the Olympic Games immediately.

Another sad demonstration took... place in Bat Yam early yesterday... morning as soon as the news of the... massacre was known. Some 700 pupils... of the Ramot School here, led by... Mayor Menahem Rothschild, marched... from the school yard to the home... of weightlifting referee Ya'acov... Springer, one of the Munich slain... to express their condolences to the... bereaved family. Mr. Springer was... their gym teacher.

Yesterday in Haifa, Ya'acov... Frieder reports, new immigrants... studying Hebrew at the Bat Galim... ulpan here sent a cable to the... Knesset Speaker demanding the imposi-... tion of capital punishment for ter-... rorists. They wrote that the tears... of the mothers of the world and of... the Jewish people must not be left... without a reaction.

The works committee of the Israel... shippers' cabled Premier Meir, ex-... pressing their sorrow and demand-... ing that Defence Minister Moshe... Dayan avenge the victims.



German Army ambulance cars entering the heavily-guarded gate to the Fuerstenfeldbruck Air Force base near Munich, where nine of the 11 Israeli sportsmen were murdered by the terrorists during the shoot-out with German police. (AP radiophoto)

German ambassador condemns massacre

Jerusalem Post Staff

German Ambassador Jesco... uttkamer yesterday issued... owing statement condemning... the terrorist attack on Tues-... the Munich Olympics:

was cancelling the reception planned... for today to mark Brazilian Inde-... pendence Day.

Guatemala's Foreign Minister, Mr... Roberto Herrera Ibarquen, cabled... Foreign Minister Abba Eban his... condolences over the tragedy.

The French Consul-General in... Jerusalem transmitted his condolences... to the Government. The Ameri-... can Consul-General in the Capital... Mr. Arthur R. Day, sent Mayor... Teddy Kollek a note expressing "pro-... found sympathy and sorrow" on be-... half of himself and his staff. "We... share as well the widespread feel-... ing of outrage which the murders... of the Israeli sportsmen have occasion-... ed," he wrote.

Leaders of Israel's Druse commu-... nity sent Prime Minister Meir tele-... grams condemning the "bloodthirsty... and loathsome crime" at Munich... They also sent messages of sym-... pathy to the bereaved families.

'Jewish revenge means building,' Ben-Aharon says

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — "Our revenge will be... the Jewish way, the State of Israel... way — by building for the living... absorption of millions, and the... strengthening of Jewish might," Mr... Yitzhak Ben-Aharon, Secretary-... General of the Histadrut, said yes-... terday, addressing an extraordinary... session of the Histadrut council at... Beit Hahayal.

Using the language of the Prop-... hets, Mr. Ben-Aharon said: "Listen... O people of the world, Jew-hate... and Jew-killing undermine the... peace of the world, the raison d'etre... of morality, religion or ideology. It... has been said on Mount Sinai that... peace is indivisible, that love is in-... divisible, that security and rights... are indivisible. Jew-baiting boom-... rangs with double force on the... heads of nations and cultures. We... appeal to all men of goodwill, and... in the first place, to workers wher-... ever they are — in the Soviet lands... in the democratic world, and in... Arab and Moslem countries: give us... your aid — not for us, not for the... right of Israel to live and thrive —... but for the future of mankind."

CABINET STATEMENT

The Government issued the following statement after yesterday's extraordinary session of the Cabinet on the Munich massacre:

- The Government of Israel declares its outrage and abhorrence at the murder by Arab terrorists of 11 members of the Israel delegation to the Olympic Games. This murderous demonstration of the criminal character of the Arab terrorist organizations points up the danger not just to Israel but to the peace of the entire world.
- The Government and Govern-ment share the grief of those whose loved ones were cut down. A state funeral, whose date and arrangements will be announced later, will be held for the victims of the attack.
- The State of Israel will not be deterred by terrorism or blackmail, and will continue to act, to defend itself and to work constantly for peace. Israel will pursue its struggle against the terrorist organizations and will not absolve those who aid the terrorists of their responsibility for their actions.
- The Government of Israel will call upon governments and other political bodies to take effective action against these organizations and their branches in order to put a stop to their activities and stamp out their bases.
- The Prime Minister noted with appreciation the decision of the Federal German authorities to take action for the liberation of the Israeli hostages and to employ force to that end. She expressed her regrets over the fact that the aim was not achieved.
- It was decided to collect detailed and accurate information about the security measures taken at Munich — both by the authorities of the German Federal Republic and by the responsible Israeli bodies — as well as on the German Government's efforts to liberate the Israeli hostages. In this context the representatives of the Israeli organs concerned have been requested to report to the Govern-ment at its next meeting in order to draw the necessary conclusions.
- The Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Education and Culture reported that the Israeli delegation had discontinued its participation in the Olympic Games and that its members were returning to Israel.

Bomb threats to Lufthansa

PARIS (Reuter). — A Lufthansa flight to Frankfurt was delayed by an hour, and passengers aboard one of the West German airline's flights from Munich were searched on arrival here yesterday after anonymous bomb threats.

The threats were made by tele-... phone to the Paris airport authori-... ties. Only International Airport... officials said that thorough checks... failed to uncover any bomb, and... flight 112 took off one hour late.

A check of passengers aboard... Lufthansa's flight 114 from Munich... also proved negative, the officials... said.

Only authorities said they also... received a telephone call from the... London office of the Kuwait air-... line, saying an anonymous caller... had informed them that bombs... would be placed aboard planes be-... longing to Arab airlines stopping... over in Paris in the next few days.

Words not good enough—Weizman

TEL AVIV. — The Arab states... must be given to understand — not... through words but with deeds —... that they are responsible for what... happened, Mr. Ezer Weizman of the... Herut Executive, said yesterday in... an interview over Israel Radio.

Commenting on the Munich... tragedy, Mr. Weizman said that a... more forceful policy towards the... Arab countries who shelter the ter-... rorists might have prevented not... only the Munich attack, but possibly... also previous attacks as well.

"Cairo and Damascus are respon-... sible for the crime," Mr. Weizman... said, "but the Government of Israel... and its security authorities are... responsible for the safety of every... Israeli anywhere in the world."

Asked if in his opinion the Germans... had bungled the rescue attempt, Mr... Weizman replied: "I assume they... tried their best. What their... best is — we have seen." (Ihm)

Soviet olim: 'The Israelis should have taken over'

LOD AIRPORT. — A group of im-... migrants arrived here yesterday... from the Soviet Union, shocked and... angry at the news from Munich. All... of them knew that two of the vic-... tims — Eliezer Halfin and Mark... Slavin — had been former Soviet im-... migrants.

"It was a terrible mistake not... to have let the Israelis take over... the rescue operation," 23-year-old... Emanuel Lamsé, himself a sports-... man, told "Ihm." He explained that... a country like Germany, which al-... lowed terrorists to operate within... its territory, could not be relied... upon to effectively protect the lives... of Israelis. (Ihm)

Queen sends condolences

British Embassy staff in Tel Aviv... came up to Jerusalem three times... yesterday with condolence mes-... sages to Israel: one from the Queen... to President Shazar, one from Premier... Edward Heath to Mrs. Meir and... one from Foreign Secretary Sir... Alec Douglas-Home to Mr. Abba... Eban.

Premature German shooting seen reason for ambush failure

By ZEEV SORUL
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Military observers... here yesterday were convinced that... a premature opening of fire on the... part of the Bavarian police sharp-... shooters at the Fuerstenfeldbruck... military airfield near Munich early... yesterday morning was a major... contributing factor to the failure of... the whole operation.

This led to the murder of the... nine Israeli hostages, still trussed... hand and foot and still inside two... of the helicopters at the time, as... well as of two Germans.

The assumption here was that had... the Germans waited at least until... the Israelis were out of the planes... (with their Arab captors then being... forced to untie at least their feet... in order to enable them to walk... to the waiting Lufthansa Boeing),... at least some of them might have... succeeded in running for their lives... the moment the Germans doused... all lights and opened fire.

But as the situation developed, the... senior Bavarian police officer... gave the order to open fire while... four of the infiltrators were... on their way to inspect the waiting... airliner and at least three to four... more men were inside the heli-... copters guarding the prisoners.

The remaining terrorists jumped... out of the plane. Some of them... were seen to fire at the helicopters... and at least one of these was set... on fire by a handgrenade, while... the German policemen poured auto-... matic fire into the area without... even having any clear idea as to... where the Israeli hostages were at... the time.

One official explanation offered... later was that they thought the... Israelis were sheltering under the... belly of one of the helicopters. The... tragedy is further compounded by... the fact that nothing but a post-... mortem will be able to ascertain whose... bullets killed whom. Once automatic... fire is resorted to, it is no longer... possible to talk of "sniping" the... way this term was used loosely by... the Germans. Immobilized by their... bonds the hostages were unable to... escape their fate.

It will probably take at least sev-... eral days to reconstruct the final... episode to the Munich tragedy. It... can however already be assumed... that the Bavarian State police did... not measure up to the job.

CONFUSION REIGNS

The confusion which reigned at... the time of the various incidents... was clearly demonstrated by the... fact that not even the Bavarian... Minister of Interior, Bruno Merk, was... able to list the casualties with... any degree of accuracy as late as... 10.30 yesterday morning.

Interviewed on the Deutsche Welle... (German international broadcast), the... Minister thought it possible at the... time that two of the hostages... could have saved themselves. It... was only the German Federal Min-... ister of Interior, Hans Dietrich Gen-... scher, who eventually listed 17... killed, including 11 Israelis, one... helicopter pilot, one member of the... Munich city police force, and four... terrorists. Since one additional ter-... rorist was taken alive at the airfield... and one more is believed to have... made good his escape, this still... leaves at least one more ter-... rorist unaccounted for in addition... to the three reportedly left behind... and captured after they were wound-... ed in an exchange of fighting with... the Israeli team members who are... said to have tackled them with... their bare hands in the early morn-... ing.

Recapitulating the reasoning be-... hind the decision to postpone the... assault on the terrorists until they... reached the military airfield, Mr... Merk said that the negotiations... (there seemed to be just a hint of... criticism here) by the fact "that... the Israelis could give no assurance... that they would release any of the... Arab prisoners held by them."

There were additional reserva-... tions, Mr. Merk stated, including... the fear of the Bavarian security... authorities that the Arabs would... carry out their threat to massacre... their hostages if any attempts

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Knesset to sit next Tuesday

The Knesset will not sit today, as scheduled, because of the funerals of the Munich victims. Knesset Speaker Yisrael Yeshayahu yesterday ordered the session postponed to next Tuesday at 10 a.m.

The agenda of today's session was to have been the debate and vote on the co-optation of Mr. Y.S. Shapiro to the Cabinet as Minister of Justice. A debate on the Munich assault had also been scheduled for some time next week, as the follow-on to yesterday's Government statement.

Tuesday's business may include both the Shapiro and the Munich items at separate sessions.

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and the staff of the Ministry

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RESPECTS — Jesse Owens, right, 1936 Olympic star, and Sou Kibiel, Korean marathon winner in 1936, hold handkerchiefs at the Olympic memorial ceremony yesterday.

30 Jews held in
Moscow protest

MOSCOW (Reuters). — Moscow police last night detained about 30 Jews who tried to demonstrate outside the Lebanese Embassy over the killing of 11 Israeli athletes in Munich.

At least 40 uniformed policemen were on hand outside the embassy before the Jews arrived, and they were immediately banded into a small blue police bus.

The vehicle was driven away to an unknown destination.

Earlier, a delegation of four Jews had gone to the Moscow City Council to seek permission to stage a demonstration outside the Lebanese embassy. The subsequent police measures appeared to confirm that this was refused.

Among those detained were Esther and David Markish, a widow and son of a Jewish poet shot in one of Stalin's last purges in 1952.

Jews told reporters they had picked the Lebanese embassy as a number of Palestinian organizations had their headquarters in Beirut.

A copy of the letter the demonstrators planned to hand in to the embassy said:

"We demand with all resoluteness that the organizers of the crime in Munich be brought to justice. We demand the immediate cessation of the Palestinian terrorist organizations' activities on Lebanese territory."

Earlier, Soviet police barred Jews in Moscow from passing on a message of condolence to Premier Golda Meir.

About 30 Jews waited for 80 minutes to get inside the Netherlands embassy, which has representation since the 1967 break in Soviet-Israeli diplomatic relations.

An embassy spokesman said the Jews, who telephoned him several times during their wait, were told that embassy officials would be pleased to receive the delegation inside the building but diplomatic practice made it impossible for an embassy representative to come outside to accept the message.

(Reuters, AP)

East Europe's reaction
Russians finally told

MOSCOW (Reuters). — The Soviet Government committee for physical education and sport last night expressed profound regret over the Munich killings of 11 Israeli Olympic sportsmen.

In the first public statement on the incident by an official state body here it denounced terrorist actions as incompatible with the spirit of cooperation and understanding underlying the Olympic movement.

Morning newspapers yesterday carried Tuesday night's Tass reports of the incident at the Olympic Village and the suspension of the games. But there was no word on the stadium battle between West German police and Arab terrorists.

They also reported Chancellor Willy Brandt's appeal to Arab leaders to help.

The Soviet Olympic delegation said in its statement that it condemned acts of terror, but there was no immediate reaction to the tragedy from official quarters in Moscow.

Shortly after carrying the delegation's statement, Tass reported the

deaths in a 200-word account of the shooting at Fuertentfeldbruck.

Moscow radio read out the Tass item on a midday news bulletin (11 a.m. Israel time) — the first time Russians were informed of what had happened.

The tightly controlled Soviet press withheld comment yesterday on the slaying of 11 members of the Israeli Olympic squad.

The press has given the Soviet public only the skimpiest information on the slayings, apparently waiting for orders on how fit the news into its political framework.

Following are other reactions in East Europe yesterday:

Radio Budapest declared that "this act of terrorism lowers the Palestinian movement to the level of political gangsterism. The terrorists cannot count on the sympathy of anyone."

Radio Warsaw said "the terrorists have rendered the worst possible service to the Arab cause."

Leaders of the Czech delegation condemned "this act which prejudices the Olympic movement."

Radio Belgrade called it "an insane extremist attempt."

East German media yesterday gave extensive coverage to events following the terrorist attack, including a live TV broadcast of the mourning service for the victims of the attack.

Commenting on the Munich events, East German mass media quoted international press reports which emphasized a lack of security precautions in the Olympic Village.

In a lengthy front-page article on the events, the Communist Party newspaper "Neues Deutschland" said official circles strongly condemned the terrorist activities "as a means of achieving political goals."

(Reuters, AP, INA)

Rabat student chief
on security charge

RABAT (Reuters). — The president of the Moroccan National Students' Union, Abdelaziz Menebbi, has been charged with threatening state security, carrying a weapon, assault, and attempting to overthrow the regime, the union said, in a communiqué issued here yesterday. He was arrested last Saturday.

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Aftermath of Munich
Black September organization
part and parcel of Fatah

By **HIBSH GOODMAN**
Jerusalem Post Military Correspondent

Informed sources stated categorically last night that there is no doubt whatsoever that the Black September organization, which has claimed responsibility for the Munich massacre, is an integral part of the Fatah leadership.

The organization was set up as the terror arm of the Fatah in September 1970, following the Jordanian civil war in which the Jordanian movements were neutralized on Jordanian soil. So far the Fatah has never admitted that the organization acts on its instructions. This affords the Fatah the best of both worlds, it was explained. It allows it to carry out acts of terrorism without having to bear the responsibility for them.

The short history of the Black September has been a bloody one. The first recorded action was the assassination of Jordanian Premier Wasfi e-Tal in Cairo in November last year. The assassins were arrested by Egyptian police — after

first having managed to kill the murdered Premier's blood — only to be released after several weeks on Egyptian Government orders.

Most of the organization's actions have been directed against Jordan and installations in Europe belonging to governments "friendly" to Israel. In December 1971 there was an abortive assassination attempt on the life of the Jordanian Ambassador to the Court of St James. Two months later several members of the organization attempted to hijack a Libya's Jordanian airliner flying from Cairo to Amman, but this also failed.

The only direct action against Israel — apart from Tuesday's murder of the 11 Israelis — was the hijacking in May of a Sabena plane which landed at Lod Airport, and which they threatened to blow up unless jailed terrorists were freed. Two of the four hijackers were killed in the plane by Israeli security forces; the other two — women — are currently serving life terms in Israeli prisons, and there is little doubt that their names

appeared on the list of terrorists whom Tuesday's murderers were demanding to be released in exchange for the hostages.

Black September members were also responsible for the blowing up of petrol storage tanks in Trieste in August. In February, they attempted to sabotage a gas factory, an electronics plant and a road bridge — all in Hamburg.

All these attempts failed — either because they were foiled by the German police, or through the amateurish use of explosive devices which failed to operate.

FEBRUARY MURDERS

The organization is also credited with the murder of five Jordanian nationals in Germany in February.

The reason for the high concentration of action in Germany can be explained by the relatively free access Palestinians enjoy in that country. There are thousands of labourers from Arab countries working on a limited contract basis in German factories, while German campuses are flooded with Palestinian students, who through an effective and well-financed student organization have managed to attract support among Germany's radical left.

Black September is known to enjoy the active support of fringe groups such as the Bader-Meinhoff gang — support which was translated not only into financial aid, but also help in the planning and execution of its operations as well. It is not improbable that in the Munich action Black September also employed the help of German sympathizers, who could operate freely in situations where an Arab could arouse suspicion.

Like all Arab terror movements Black September is not short of funds. Last year Libya alone channelled \$24m. in aid if diverted from Jordan to the terror organizations, this over and above the money it has managed to extort from airline companies (\$5m. from Lufthansa last year) for the safe return of the passengers and crews of hijacked aircraft.

Terror action in Germany does not end with the Black September movement. The first incident was in September 1969 when a grenade was hurled at the El Al offices in Bonn. Two months later a time bomb was discovered in the Berlin Jewish Community Centre, and in March of that year another bomb was discovered in the El Al offices of the same city.

ATTACK ON EL AL

In February 1970 an Israeli was killed and eight persons injured (including actress Hanna Maron) when terrorists attacked an El Al airliner at Munich airport. The terrorists were captured, only to be released when a Lufthansa plane was hijacked later that year.

Also in February 1970 seven inmates of a Jewish old-age home in Bonn were the building was the object of Arab Arab, followed shortly by the hijacking of a Lufthansa plane to Aden.

Terror ceased for a while until letters containing explosive caps were sent to the Israeli pavilion at the Hannover Trade Fair in April this year.

There have been 19 other terror actions against Israel abroad, and against countries and companies which have dealings with Israel. Over 50 people of all nationalities have lost their lives — 47 of them in the Swissair mid-air explosion in February 1970.

The battlefield used by the terrorists in their slaughter of innocent civilians has stretched from Germany to Iran, and those murdered come from all walks of life, and all nationalities and religions. All were innocent victims of indiscriminate Arab terror.

BRITISH PEOPLE OUTRAGED

Words are inadequate,
Heath tells Meir

By **DAVID LENNON**
Jerusalem Post Correspondent

LONDON. Prime Minister Edward Heath last night sent a personal letter to Israeli Premier Golda Meir expressing his deep sense of shock at the Munich massacre.

Cutting short his own visit to the Games, Mr. Heath said: "Words are inadequate to condemn the perpetrators of an outrage which offends the conscience of the whole civilized world."

Foreign Secretary Sir Alec Douglas-Home said he was filled with horror and had passed on to the Israeli nation the Government's deep sympathy on this "tragic occasion."

In private and in public Britain expressed outrage and shock as the news of the Munich slaughter came over the radio and flashed across the headlines of the special editions of the morning papers.

The final news bulletins and radio in the early hours of the morning, and the early editions of all the newspapers, led the nation to believe that all the hostages were freed. When the real truth became known it served as a double shock.

The Israel Embassy switchboard was jammed from the early morning, as people sought to express their condolences. Hundreds of men, many of them non-Jews, formed to offer to join the Israel Army.

Embassy spokesman had to thank them for their kindness but explain that Zahal does not take volunteers from outside Israel.

A book of condolence was opened at the embassy and a constant stream of visitors queued to sign. One of the first official signatures on the book was that of the German Chargé d'Affaires.

He was followed by high-ranking

American personnel, the Danish Chargé d'Affaires, Mr. Anthony Royal of the British Foreign Office, and the Norwegian and Dutch Ambassadors.

The B.O.A.C. ground staff at London's Heathrow Airport decided yesterday not to handle any Arab aircraft in protest.

Other airport worker leaders called on their union to officially "black" Arab airlines.

Many of the newspapers carried reports indicating that they expect Israel to launch some form of reprisal action against Syria. They stressed particularly the fact that the terrorist leaders are now meeting in Damascus.

Newspapers, from the most frivolous to the most serious, denounced the outrage. Commenting editorially, the "Daily Telegraph" said: "It is long past time for Arab governments, notably Lebanon, Libya, and Syria, to declare publicly their abhorrence of such deeds, and to take measures within their powers to stop them. Silence in this case will mean support."

"The Times" urged that the Games be called off as an instinctive reaction to the outrage. It continued: "There is no complete remedy to prevent this kind of tragedy. But what is most important is surely that the Arab governments, the demands of the Arab people, and the risks that may be involved in resisting it, is the worst of all policies. It simply invites further acts of this kind. Ultimately the best way to counter terrorism is to show that it does not pay."

Britain's Chief Rabbi, Dr. Immanuel Jakobovits, declared Monday a day of mourning and said special services would be held in synagogues throughout the country.

Pompidou expresses
France's anger

By **JACK MAURICE**
Jerusalem Post Correspondent

PARIS. — President Georges Pompidou yesterday symbolized France's indignation at the massacre of the Israeli hostages in Munich when he sent a personal message to President Zelman Shazar expressing the shocked condolences of the French people.

The French Government voiced its sympathy for the victims and its indignation against the terrorists during its weekly Cabinet meeting.

Foreign Minister Maurice Schumann said that he was "overwhelmed by the Munich drama. My thoughts turn to the victims of the carnage. The Olympic peace has been broken by a bloodbath which took place only a few kilometres from the site of the Dachau concentration camp."

In order to prevent any terror attacks here, the French Interior Ministry has reinforced its squads of uniformed and plainclothes police at the embassies of Israel and of Arab countries as well as the personal guards of their senior diplomats. Extra patrol cars have also been detailed to keep watch on embassy buildings and diplomats' homes.

Senator Pierre Mardigny tabled a question in Parliament asking Foreign Minister Schumann to call on the United Nations in France's name to outlaw all political movements which refuse to respect human life.

Condemnation of the terrorists came from some unusual quarters here. The Franco-Arab Solidarity Association, which usually espouses the Palestinian viewpoint, said: "Crimes against innocent people by no means serve the cause of the Palestinian people's national rights but are bound to alienate international public opinion which is horrified by these massacres, which are often blind and deliberate."

But at the extreme left-wing bookshop in the mixed Arab and Jewish quarter of Montfaucon in Paris, Palestinians and other Arabs applauded the "exploit" of the Black September killers as they listened to radio reports of the Munich tragedy.

The Central Jewish Consistory of France held a memorial service for the Munich victims at Paris' Great Synagogue yesterday.

Edith Canat de Chizy, the Munich atrocity was the inevitable consequence of the failure of the Big Powers to find a solution for the plight of the exiled Palestinians.

The editorial said: "However horrible the acts committed by the Palestinians all over the world and by the I.R.A. in Ulster, how can we fail to recognize that this violence is merely fighting against another form of violence; blatant injustice."

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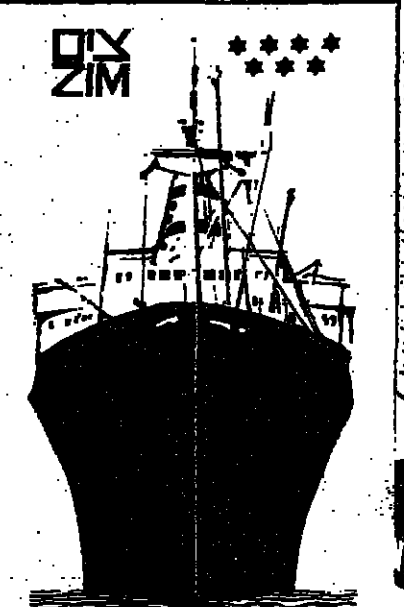
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How massacre developed

TEHRAN (Reuter). — This is how drama of the Arab terrorist attack on the Israeli Olympic team developed in Munich.

Friday, Sept. 5: 0800 local time (10.30 Israel time). Five terrorists of the Black September organization storm into the Israeli village at the Olympic Village, kill two Israeli members and kidnap nine as hostages.

They demand the release of 200 Palestinian prisoners held in Israel and safe conduct out of West Germany.

0810 — West German Games official says three Arabs suffering knife wounds were found in Israeli quarters after evacuation of terrorists and hostages to airfield.

0815 — Government spokesman says Brandt spoke to Egyptian President Anwar Sadat on the phone as part of his bid to end the drama — but spokesman later says Brandt in fact spoke to Egyptian Prime Minister Isid Sidky.

0820 — Reuters reporters at airfield say gunbattle there still continuing after midnight, with column of armoured cars entering airport at around the same time. Clouds of smoke seen billowing behind airport building.

0830 — Police decline to confirm report that three Arabs with knife wounds were found in Israeli quarters, and no independent confirmation of this report is available either.

0840 — Gunbattle is over and two Arabs trying to escape from airport have been captured, says Olympics press chief Klein, quoting Bavarian Interior Ministry report from the airfield. He says casualties not known.

0850 — All nine hostages killed, and also a policeman, official military spokesman says.

0855 — Bavarian Interior Minister Bruno Merk says four terrorists also dead alongside all the hostages — then sensationally says there is a "remote possibility" that one or two hostages may have survived.

He expresses official regret that attempt to rescue hostages failed and says Munich police chief Schreber gave order to open fire. Merk confirms one terrorist held job as gardener in the Olympic Village.

0858 — Federal Interior Minister Genscher tells all at Village that when he conferred with terrorists he saw the Israelis tied up, making a rescue attempt in the Village impossible.

0900 — Olympics press chief Klein says Arabs blew up helicopter with hostages inside and then opened fire on wreckage with sub-machine-guns — the resulting mess was the cause of the faint hope that some hostages may have survived.

0905-0910 — Eyewitnesses say one woman was among the bodies and that one of the West German helicopter pilots fell to the ground when caught in police and terrorist gunfire during gunbattle. Another pilot escaped and people fled in all directions, they add.

They also say that police brought one of the terrorists — who was covered in dirt and blood — to the airfield in a police van just before 0900, and add that by 0930 long lines of police vehicles had begun streaming away from the airport as the drama there had ended.

0900-0905: West German Olympic chief Willi Dammes says he will ask International Olympic Committee to meet today to decide whether Games should continue.

0910 — Munich police officer says all hostages have been released following gunbattle and four guerrillas captured. Airfield officials say one terrorist escaped and some people were wounded. But doubt still persists on fate of hostages.

0915 — Police move in around building and marksmen take positions on the rooftops. Munich police chief and Olympic "Mayor" Walter Troeger negotiations with the Arabs. Interior Minister Genscher assumes overall control.

0920 — Terrorists' first deadline is uneventfully as negotiations continue.

0925 — Munich police chief Troeger tells his marksmen to down the terrorists if they chance.

0930 — West German Chancellor Brandt flies in to assess the situation.

0935 — Second deadline expires. Germany's second television channel suspends programmes so as to off "terrorists' contact with the world. A virtual news blackout is imposed.

0940 — A mystery explosion through the Olympic Village helicopter lands and takes off without explanation.

0945 — 57-man team withdraws from the Olympics. A group of 50 is stage a sit-down demonstration negotiations continue.

0950 — Olympic spokesman announces deadline put back to 1700.

0955 — U.S. Olympic swimming Mark Spitz, who is Jewish, out secretly. U.S. officials are urged about his safety.

1000 — Genscher, Troeger and their visit Israeli quarters for with terrorists.

1005 — Chancellor Brandt announces on television that leading German politicians had of themselves in exchange for hostages but that offer was refused.

1010 — Village completely sealed but order lifted after 45 minutes.

1015 — Egyptian mediator tells West Germany will try to save Israel's lives. But lists chief — who is unknown — says they care for neither minor lives.

1020 — Israel's Olympic team offer of visit to Bavarian Interior Ministry report that they will in Games Village.

1025 — Two helicopters land airport village.

1030 — Refreshments taken to standing guard outside Israeli quarters.

1035 — Bus carries terrorists and to three waiting military vehicles.

1040 — First helicopter with hostages off. Others follow at minute intervals.

1045 — Brandt says his government is concentrating on avoiding a bloodbath.

1050 — Terrorists and hostages at Fuerstenfeldbruck airport immediately a gunbattle starts in terrorists and police. Police says terrorists opened at this is contradicted later.

1055 — A Munich police officer

Dig near Beersheba reveals site of thriving Judges city

Jerusalem Post Reporter

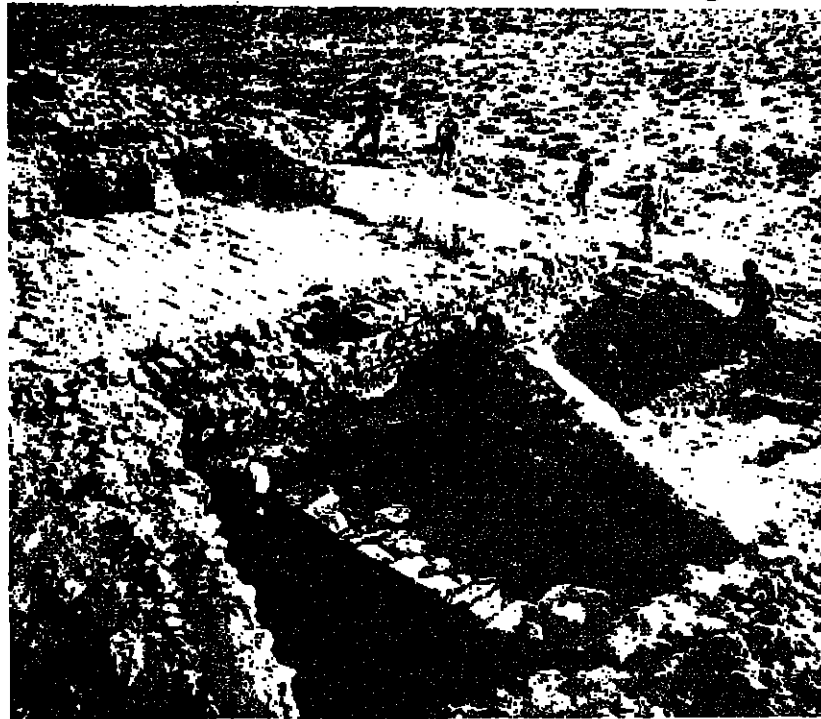
TEL AVIV. — Khirbet el-Meashash, 15 kms. east of Beersheba, was a thriving city in the time of the Judges. At other periods, the site served as a border fortress, as it Prof. Yohanan Aharoni of Tel Nalata, where structures with similar characteristics were also found, Prof. Yohanan Aharoni of the Tel Aviv University, told reporters here yesterday.

He has just finished digging in Tel Measas (as it is also known in Hebrew today) where a Tel Aviv University team worked together with a German one led by Prof. Volkmar Fritz of Mainz University.

The Germans have contributed DM300,000 towards the project, and the Israelis about the same amount — but mainly in services. The digs lasted six weeks. "We have planned three more expeditions — if we get the money," Prof. Aharoni said.

Unlike most tells in Israel, the buildings in Tel Measas were not erected on the ruins of earlier structures, but constructed near disused habitations. The earliest structure discovered was an enclosure surrounded by a rampart from the Middle Bronze Age II (about the 18th century B.C.E.). In the time of King David, Tel Measas was probably a frontier post. There were signs of a Herodian presence and a beautiful Roman-style villa was uncovered. After the Arab conquest, the place was definitely abandoned.

The early Israelite settlement covers an area of 850 by 200 metres, and is the largest settlement of the period ever discovered in the Negev. Several buildings of the "four-room" type were found fairly well preserved.



Site of the Measas: Roman villa on top with the town of the Judges period below.

erved. This type of house has four rooms around a patio, with a roof supported by columns. The main building has walls 1.60 metres thick.

Beneath the Israelite settlement, remains of Chalcolithic culture of the fourth millennium B.C.E. were found. These resemble the "Beersheba culture" found in the area.

The sites may be the biblical Hormah. But, plausible though it seems, this could not be proved at this stage, the archaeologists said.



Egyptian scarab found at Tel Measas is dated to the period of Set II.

Hebron settlers rap Patriarchs' Tomb rules

HEBRON. — A group of Jewish worshippers at the Ma'arat Ha-machpela (Tomb of the Patriarchs) said here yesterday they would appeal to Prime Minister Golda Meir to set up a ministerial committee to re-examine the status quo agreement concerning visiting rights of Jews and Moslems to the holy place.

The group, which includes residents of Kiryat Arba, said the agreement, drawn up by Defence Minister Moshe Dayan and the Kadi of Hebron immediately after the Six Day War, discriminated against the Jews.

In a memorandum sent to members of the Knesset, the group protested against the "disgraceful" sight of Israeli soldiers, in obedience to the regulations, chasing Israelis out of the Tomb three times a day when the Moslems come to pray. They pointed out that Jews are not permitted to visit the site at all on Friday — the Moslem Sabbath, but that Moslems are permitted to hold funeral services there when the Jews are praying.

The blowing of the shofar at the Tomb is also forbidden, the memorandum pointed out.

The group said all restrictions against Jews at the site should be lifted.

The Jewish Defence League has called for a mass memorial meeting to be held at the Tomb in memory of the Jews killed in the Hebron massacre of 1929 and that of Kiryat Etzion in 1948. The service is to be led by Rabbi Meir Kahane, J.D.L. head, on the eve of Yom Kippur, September 17. Rabbi Kahane, who was last week prohibited by the Military Government from entering Hebron to stage a political demonstration, has now obtained a special permit to go there to pray. It is not known whether he requested the permit for the memorial service called by the J.D.L. (IHM)

'Ot' claims Dayan speeches distort gov't policy

TEL AVIV. — The Labour Party weekly magazine "Ot" attacks Defence Minister Moshe Dayan for his latest speeches in today's issue.

The editorial writer criticizes Mr. Dayan for "creating the impression that the government line is hardening." The weekly writes that "Arab countries reacted to Dayan's proposals with anger, while other Cabinet Ministers have reacted with amazement."

The Labour Party weekly also takes Mr. Dayan to task for his annual address to the army Staff College graduation ceremony, and asks: "Is this the right way to raise in public 'private concepts' that are not shared either by the government or by the party?"

The same edition of "Ot" devotes much of its space to a special interview with Deputy Premier Yigal Alon, in which he stresses that "Golda does not want to hold office in the next Cabinet." Mr. Alon said that the Prime Minister's desire not to stand for office again was "very sincere and very profound."

Mr. Alon advised his party "not to accept her wish and not to allow her to step down from public activity when she is still at the height of her powers." He added: "I say these things out of a great sense of affinity with Golda."

Mr. Alon believed that Jordan would be the second Arab country to sign a peace agreement with Israel — it was less dependent on other Arab countries than at any other time in its history, and its regime was a most stable one.

Czech Grandmaster allowed to leave

THE HAGUE (Reuter). — Former Czechoslovak Chess Grandmaster Luděk Pachman is planning to settle in the Netherlands, he told the Dutch Radio by telephone from Prague.

Mr. Pachman, who said in Prague that the Czechoslovak authorities had given him provisional permission to leave the country, denied today that he had plans to settle in West Germany.

He said he preferred Holland "because that is the country from which I have had the greatest support and friendship."

He confirmed that he had accepted a post as editor-in-chief of a German chess magazine, but said he could carry out that function from the Netherlands.

SOME 400 Gaza Strip students enrolled at Egyptian universities returned to school yesterday, via Kantara, ending their summer vacations at home. The third and last transport of returning students is due to leave next Wednesday.

Kidnappers want £190,000 and 20 prisoners

BINDHOVEN, Holland (Reuter). — The Argentine branch of the giant Philips firm is negotiating with the guerrilla captors of branch chairman Jan Van de Panne on a reported ransom of 1.5 million guilders (about £190,000), a Philips spokesman said here yesterday.

Mr. Van de Panne, 55, was kidnapped in Buenos Aires on Tuesday, reportedly by Argentine guerrillas who, in addition to the ransom, are demanding the release of some 20 political prisoners.

A Philips spokesman said: "We are short of information and have to rely mainly on press reports. As soon as the situation warrants we shall make a statement."

One dead, 38 hurt in Manila blast

MANILA (UPI). — A terrorist bomb, planted in a shoebox, exploded in a crowded Manila department store on Tuesday, killing a woman and wounding 38 others. It was the eighth and most serious bombing incident in the city since July, the police said.

Manila Mayor Ramon Bagatsing, who himself lost part of his left leg in a grenade attack during a political rally a year ago, said that the police suspected urban guerrillas of the Maoist New People's Army as being responsible for the blast.

New little theatre for Haifa

By YAAQOV ARDON
Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — A new, small theatre will be inaugurated here soon, supplementing the 11-year-old, large theatre already in existence. The new theatre will be located in the basement of the Daroff Auditorium at the Rothschild Centre and will stage modern and mainly original Hebrew plays.

The "shoob" has grown out of a dispute over the city theatre's programming between the administrative manager, Yasov Ya'our, and the artistic director, Oded Kotler.

As executive board chairman Zvi Barzilai put it, "the performance won the praise of the professional critics, but not of the public" whose subscriptions, the theatre's basic support, dwindled from a high of 13,000 to 9,000 in the recently concluded season.

Mr. Ya'our made it clear that the programme was simply above the heads of the city's theatre-goers — notwithstanding any high artistic standards.

Like the city theatre in Hadar Hacarmel, the small one will be under the direction of Oded Kotler, who has withdrawn his resignation and agreed to serve another two years. Several months ago he said he would let his contract expire next February because he could not agree "to lower artistic standards to win easy popularity."

The solution of offering two artistic menus to different groups of theatre-goers has appealed to him and was approved by the executive board. Each theatre will have its own set of subscribers, and Mr. Barzilai hopes that the little theatre would attract between 1,500 and 2,000. A "project within the project" is to open the little stage to recent graduates of drama schools and to give them a taste of practical work in staging plays and acting.

The debate on what kind of theatre fare should be offered to the public was by no means confined to Haifa only. Mr. Ya'our pointed out. In Haifa, it had been more "dramatic" because Mr. Kotler had staked his contract on it. The innovation now was that the little stage, which until now had performed sporadically, would be on an all-the-year-round basis.

On the city theatre programme for the coming season, Mr. Ya'our said that the first new play to be staged would be "The Treasure" by Sholem Aleichem and Y.D. Berkovits, to be followed by Eugene O'Neill's "The Iceman Cometh" (early in November). Jointly with the Cameri, the Haifa Theatre would produce Dostoyevsky's "Crime and Punishment," under the direction of Andre Barsaocq of Paris. "Hefetz," a play by Chanoch Levin, had been the outgoing season's greatest box office success (65,000 in 25 performances) and is likely to be performed another 35 times. Altogether, the city theatre had given 412 performances before a quarter of a million spectators.

Mr. Ya'our said that in the first six months of the financial year the theatre, having cut expenses after the shock of a big deficit, not only balanced its accounts, but repaid IL250,000 of debts. Last year, he explained, the government gave the

New South African Zionist chief

JOHANNESBURG (INA). — Mr. Julius Weinstein has been elected new chairman of the South African Zionist Federation and Mr. Ediel Horowitz president. Mr. Joseph Dalecki has been appointed Honorary Life President.

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AMIN ORDERS BRITONS WATCHED

Kampala Asians queue to leave

ALA, Uganda. — Crowds of queued outside Canada's entry immigration office in the city yesterday when it opened its doors to prospective Asian immigrants.

2,000 Asians waited for an appointment to apply for residence. Most of them young people, many holding professional qualifications, by a much smaller queue for British entry permits at the British commission's emergency office in the same building.

Only about one in six were passport holders. The others were Ugandan citizens, or whose Ugandan citizenship was revoked. The Ugandans said they wanted to leave because they felt they were not wanted in the country.

Last month, Uganda's President Idi Amin said the 40,000 to 50,000 non-citizen Asians here would have to leave the country by November 7. The majority are British.

The British High Commissioner, Richard Slater, was still waiting yesterday for a meeting with Uganda's Foreign Minister, Wanume Kibedi, to discuss Amin's accusation on Tuesday that Britain was plotting his assassination to stop him expelling the Asians. The British Government has said there is no truth in the charge.

Britons arriving at Entebbe international airport here yesterday had to surrender their passports to immigration officers, before they were allowed to enter Uganda. They were told they would get them back later in the day. The passports returned follows Idi Amin's accusation about Britain's plot.

In a statement issued after a meeting of Uganda's security council, Amin said he was ordering all Ugandans, and the armed forces in particular, to keep the 7,000 resident British citizens under surveillance.

In Lusaka, President Kenneth Kaunda yesterday described Uganda's action of expelling Asians as "terrible, horrible, abominable and shameful."

Seeds of the problem had been sown before Uganda's independence by the Asians being encouraged to become British citizens, but it was not right to commit another wrong, because of Britain's treatment many years ago, he said. "We can only hope what has happened in Uganda does not happen somewhere else," Kaunda said. (UPI, AP)

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By TREVOR DEEBERG
Jerusalem Post Correspondent
NEW DELHI — The current visit of India's Air Chief to Cairo has nothing to do with reported Egyptian moves to obtain military advisers, training facilities and spares for Mig aircraft from this country.

A Defence Ministry spokesman has firmly denied reports from London and Beirut that this is the object of Air Chief Marshal P.C. Lal's stopover in Cairo on his way to Britain to attend the annual air display at Farnborough.

He said the visit was one of "goodwill," and added that no request had been received from the Egyptian Government for such aid to fill the gap by the withdrawal of Soviet military support.

The spokesman described such reports as "speculative." He pointed out that the Air Chief would call at Paris and Baghdad on his way back to India, also on goodwill visits.

The French are interested in helping the Indian Defence Ministry set up facilities to manufacture the Mirage in this country. The ministry already manufactures Alouette helicopters under licence from Sud Aviation.

Iraq is rapidly replacing Egypt as India's best friend and business partner in West Asia. Under an agreement negotiated recently, Iraq will supply India with petroleum from its nationalized oil fields and may even provide part of the capital for setting up a 4.5-million-ton refinery in India.

It is not unlikely, however, that Air Chief Marshal Lal will utilize his visit to Cairo to assess the consequences of the Soviet pullout on Egypt's defence potential. The Indian Government would certainly like to do what it can to heal the rift between two nations whom it numbers high among its friends.

Accordingly, the "Times of India" here reports that "any request from Egypt for military advisers and instructors is bound to receive full attention, but the question of spare parts is different." Mig aircraft are manufactured in India with Soviet collaboration, and even if India could supply spares, a decision to export them "will inevitably be gov-

erned by Indo-Soviet and Egypt-Soviet relations."
The implication is that if New Delhi receives an official request from Cairo for such aid, the Indian response would depend to a large degree on how Moscow takes it. The Indo-Soviet treaty of peace, friendship and cooperation signed in August, 1971 stipulates that neither signatory will make any commitment to a third country that is detrimental to the interests of the other.

Egypt had Indian military advisers and instructors until 1967. After the Six Day War, President Nasser ended this cooperation and sought Soviet help instead. One aspect of Indian collaboration would be joint development of a supersonic fighter for which Egypt would design an engine and India a frame. The project was shelved after the prototype engine failed to provide the required thrust in test flights.

Whatever Cairo's motive in inviting Air Chief Marshal Lal to spend some days there, "it is highly unlikely that India would agree to send its training personnel to replace the expelled Soviet technicians even if Egypt made such a request," writes G.K. Reddy, chief correspondent of "The Hindu" of Madras posted in New Delhi.

He says Western diplomats here "are wearing round the view that India does not want to get involved in West Asian power politics, least of all to fill the vacuum created by the precipitate expulsion of the Soviet experts training its air force."

Reddy says that "after its sad experience with the Arab states during the recent Indo-Pakistan conflict India is none too anxious to go out of its way to take Mr. Sadat's side in his quarrel with the Soviet Union."

New Delhi considers it time that Egypt and other Arab countries realized the importance of more harmonious relations with India, "which shares their basic aspirations for justice and fair play in settling their dispute with Israel and working for the betterment of their own people" instead of "engaging totally one or other of the big powers for pulling their chestnuts out of the fire."

'BABIES NEED' SUSPECT POWDER INGREDIENT

Jerusalem Post Correspondent
LONDON — British doctors have strongly advised the medically supervised use of hexachlorophene to prevent infection among newborn infants.

In "The Lancet" Britain's authoritative medical weekly, four doctors from Summerfield Hospital in Birmingham and from the Mid-Worcestershire Group Laboratory linked 27 cases of abscesses in babies under 12 months of age with the discontinuation of the antiseptic powder in one hospital.

In another hospital only two babies had had abscesses in the same two year period. When hexachlorophene powder for the babies and hand and nose cream for the staff was reintroduced in the first hospital the infections fell — not a single case has occurred this year.

Doctors believe that the risk of cross-infection in baby units is greater than the risk of excessive absorption of the antiseptic through the skin when conditions are properly controlled.

Hexachlorophene was once used in a wide range of disinfectants, soaps, cosmetics and creams until American studies indicated brain damage in animals fed very large doses of it. The British Medicines Safety Committee in February urged special caution in its use for infants, and hexachlorophene was voluntarily withdrawn from over-the-counter products for babies.

Its use under medical supervision — in baby units, for instance — was recommended. But the Birmingham doctors say that suspicious of toxicity has encouraged some hospitals to stop using the antiseptic.

The French babies are thought to have died from a type of encephalitis now being linked with a suspected presence of 6 per cent of hexachlorophene in a 1,320 lb. batch of Morhange baby powder. The powder is used by about one in four French mothers.

But hexachlorophene is not one of the powder's usual ingredients and there has been no explanation as to how it could have been introduced. Tests are still going on to discover if the antiseptic, in fact, present.



For the Chinese masses, hard work is a way of life but a new class of "reluctant bums" has become a social problem. (See story below.)

China's reluctant bums

By DENNIS BLOODWORTH
SINGAPORE —

THE disciplined Chinese People's Republic of Chairman Mao has produced its own peculiar version of the dropout, the reluctant bum.

The *Lialangger* or "wandering boy" may be no more than 12 years old, and has probably done no wrong. But in China the sins of the father are indeed visited upon the children unto the third and fourth generation, and because he is from a "black household," the son of a rich peasant or a former merchant, he is humiliated at every turn and deprived of all opportunity.

His life of crime begins when he is sent away from his home town to labour permanently on a farming commune to "learn from the peasants." For this he will be fed and paid between £1 and £2 a month, but he must stay put, and if he wishes to visit his family for a few days once a year he must apply for a special visa. Discontented with his down-to-earth existence he makes a break back to the forbidden city.

ON THE RUN
If he is not to be caught he must learn a new art of living, regulated by disciplines as inflexible as those earlier imposed upon him by the Communist cadres. Even when he reaches his home town he cannot stay with his parents or with friends, for the local household police follow all comings and goings, and anyone who harbours him without reporting his arrival may be branded as "counter-revolutionary" and dispatched to a labour camp. He must keep a sharp lookout at all times for old women or cripples "idling in doorways or sitting at windows, for these unemployables are the backbone of the street se-

curity squads that are the eyes and ears of authority.

At night the *Lialangger* walks during the day he "does in crowded railway stations. If he wants to disappear into the park in a city like Canton he must go through the gates in the morning when it will cost him little more than a penny. He cannot afford to stroll up to the entrance in the late afternoon, for the price nearly triples in the evening. And he has no money.

He also has no ration card. How does he eat? He goes to certain cheap, crowded self-service restaurants in which the customer collects his own bowl of rice noodles from the counter and a waiter simply counts the number of empty bowls in front of him on the tables when he wants to leave and charges him accordingly.

"The trick," confided one *Lialangger*, "is to table-hop — to change your place each time you fetch another bowl of noodles. If no one has spotted what you are up to you get through several bowls this way but pay only for the last one and then quickly walk out."

There are said to be thousands of these wandering boys in the southern province of Kwangtung alone, and many have escaped to Hongkong. But a *Lialangger* tends to keep on the move for safety's sake, and many travel unceasingly. Their first rule is never to take a bus, for it may be held up, and if the passengers are checked the delinquent is trapped like a sardine in an outside can. A train of fare booklets, is more difficult for the police to control, and it can usually be both boarded and jumped undetected.

When he needs money the wandering boy may, paradoxically, find temporary work at some farming commune near the city not unlike the one from which he fled. For the authorities often order a local com-

mune to provide labour to build or repair public roads, and the commune cadres, reluctant to waste their own men on such unproductive chores, will recruit *Lialangger* to do the job when they can. But to do the job when they can. But the child of the "class enemy" takes a chance. For if agents of the local "Workers Investigation Unit" come around asking questions he may have to run for it before he has been paid for his labours, or risk almost certain recapture. He must gamble on picking a week in which no check will be carried out, and this turns the whole caper into a Chinese proletarian variation on Russian roulette.

But the *Lialangger* who swam the shanghai gaudet to Hongkong are still thwarted citizens of the People's Republic. One arrival in the British colony said: "I love my country, only my country does not love me." (OFNS)

Israelis would meet with Lebanese students

RAMAT GAN. — Bar-Ilan University's Students Union has agreed to a proposal to meet with Lebanese students, to discuss improving Israel-Lebanon relations.

The Students Union is organizing an "international peace night" in Caesarea November 1, and have invited students from all over the world — including Arab countries. The chairman of the students' Foreign Relations Committee, Yitzhak Eli, said yesterday he had asked Archbishop Joseph Raya to transmit necessary details in order to obtain entry permits for the Lebanese students, who were said to have expressed a desire for such a meeting.

Archbishop Raya said, on his return from Lebanon last week, that Lebanese students told him they would like to meet with Israeli students. (IHM)

Anti-war priest gets two years

HARRISBURG Pennsylvania (UPI). — A Federal judge on Tuesday sentenced anti-war Catholic priest Father Philip Berrigan to two years' imprisonment for having smuggled letters from the federal penitentiary at Lewisburg, Pennsylvania.

Another Harrisburg Seven defendant, Catholic nun Sister Elizabeth McAllister, was sentenced to a year's imprisonment on the same charge. However, the jury could reach no verdict on charges that Berrigan, Sister McAllister and five others masterminded an alleged plot to kidnap presidential adviser Henry Kissinger, raid draft board offices, and destroy heating tunnels at war government buildings in Washington.

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SKILFUL GUESSING

BRIDGE
By George Levinew

GUESSING has a role in bridge. In the Olympiad match between the victorious Italians and Taiwan, the Italians did not guess well on this deal:
Dir: South
Val: E-W

North
♠ QJ865
♥ K1076
♦ Q10
♣ 9

West
♠ 1042
♥ 85
♦ AKJ854
♣ 76

South
♠ KJ532
♥ AK83
♦ 982
♣ 7

At both tables the contract was 4 ♠ by South. With the Italians North-South the bidding was:
South West North East
1 ♠ 2 ♠ 4 ♠ All Pass
With Taiwan North-South the bidding was slightly different:
South West North East
1 ♠ 2 ♠ 3 ♠ F
4 ♠ All Pass

West in both instances led the ♠ A, K and J. The crucial guess was how to trump the J. The Taiwan player trumped with the K, finessed against the trump Q, and thus made his contract. The Italian player trumped with the 10 which lost to the Q and doomed the contract. The lead made quite a difference in a slam contract in the Canadian-French contest at the Olympiad. Put yourself in the West seat on the opening lead:

Dir: South
Val: None
♠ 863
♥ 1097
♦ QJ752
♣ 4

The bidding with Canada playing North-South:
South West North East
1 ♠ 2 ♠ 1 ♠ F
3 ♠ F
4 ♠ All Pass

Was it reasonable to hope for two ♠ tricks and for the ♠ Q to be led?
The bidding with France playing North-South:

South West North East
1 ♠ 1 ♠ 1 ♠ All Pass
2 ♠ F
3 ♠ F
4 ♠ All Pass

Was it reasonable for West to anticipate only one winning ♠ trick and to lead a ♠?

Here was the full deal:
North
♠ AJ852
♥ K1084
♦ 765
♣ 983

West
♠ Q863
♥ 1097
♦ QJ752
♣ 4

South
♠ AKJ10
♥ 85
♦ AQ10954
♣ 9

With the ♠ lead the defence was successful in ruffing out the ♠ A and establishing the ♠ K in dummy for the discard of a losing ♠, and thus making the contract. Was the lead just a bad guess? With the ♠ lead the contract was set, was this lead just a good guess?

Bridge is indeed primarily a game of skill, but is there such a thing as skilful guessing?

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Spill in pits

Russian Jews have burned their bridges THE WORST TIME EVER

EVERYONE I spoke to described this as their worst time ever. Essentially what has happened is that there has been a rise in expectations due to the larger number of Jews allowed to leave. This led people to commit themselves and cut ties. Now, because of the ration levy, they are unable to re-verse normal life as they have already burnt their bridges.

They are really caught in the middle and their rage and frustration is enormous. The long-term leadership is suffering from battle fatigue. The strain of a life of continuous struggle and bravery in the face of danger and tension is insupportable. Such effort can only be sustained when you have the imposition of the new levy has robbed them of even that solation.

The introduction of the levy had been wholly unanticipated. They have been dreading it since the summer of 1970 when there first was talk of it and threats of its application. Similar kinds of taxes have been imposed in Poland and Rumania, but the draconian reach of the one was more than they had expected. Its application in a hasty blanket way, without any adjustments or let-up for anyone as much worse than they had red.

For the Soviet citizen who earns in a good income of say 150 rubles a month, the sums involved beyond his means. The problem is stated in this way: In Moscow there are 400 families awaiting permission to leave, of whom 60 per cent are liable for the levy. According to the leadership, this involves sums of between 300 and 20,000 rubles per family with three persons liable for the amount.

Larger sums

In some cases, much larger sums are required. Professor Benjamin Lehn and his family would have to pay 82,000 rubles. Roman Ratanman and his wife would have to pay 100,000 rubles. The family of Victor Isakov, 40,000 rubles, and Valentine Isakov, 50,000 rubles. The point is that there are any number of rubles who have been evaluated at more than the average figures. In Minsk, about 4,000 have applied for permission to leave, and at least 1,000 of them would be liable for the levy. In Leningrad, there are 1,000 applicants and the leadership there makes it that about 350 would be selected.

In Riga, there are no figures for number of applicants but it is estimated that some 80 to 40 per cent would be affected by the new levy. The response of some of the people in the Soviet Union has been one of total panic. They plead that they are found to pay the levy that they can get out. Others, particularly the leaders, say that under no circumstances should money be paid. The leaders in the four cities of Moscow, Riga, Leningrad and Minsk state that it is essential that the only response to the West be that it is not a ransom that smacks of trading.

Insatiable

They believe that the Soviet appetite is insatiable, that the demand was made only at this time because they felt it would be paid from their point of view, they come the most vigorous responses, including economic boycott, they said that they hope that the U.S. Government does not value the sale of their corn more than 70 do human rights. They take this position in a city where, for the first time in a very long time, in the Soviet Union on the lives of some people are in jeopardy. Non-Jewish leaders of the Human Rights movement within the U.S. and senior foreign diplomats all told me that they have

A man who has been a student observer of Soviet Jewish affairs for a long time and who has a knowledge of the problems involved, completed a 10-day visit to Moscow, Riga and Leningrad last Friday. Because of his background, he was received and confided in by active members of the Soviet Jewish struggle for the right to go to Israel. His first stop outside Russia was London, where he described what he had learned to our correspondent there: DAVID LENNON.

grave fears in the light of the recent massive acceleration of anti-Jewish and anti-Zionist campaigns. They feel that the danger level is very high and that there is very little time left to reverse the situation. As an example of the increased anti-Jewish activities, they note that in an attack on U.S. Embassy personnel some months ago, the only people whose person or property was attacked were staff members who were known to be Jews. They noted further that the attackers used anti-Semitic epithets, but that this aspect of the attack was never made public.

Response

Among the consequences of the imposition of the levy is one in particular that worries the leadership. This is the response of the young people. Many of those who had planned to go on to college are giving up the idea. This leaves them subject to being called up for the army for a three-year stint. They could be considered as reservists for up to another five years, and thus would not be granted exit permits either for themselves, or in many cases for their families as well.

Valerie Chalidze, a legal expert of the Soviet Human Rights Committee and a non-Jew, in analysing this levy urges that it is illegal on the grounds that it is a post facto imposition. In a lengthy discussion with him, he noted that there was no requirement for the repayment of fees at the time these people studied. In addition, he notes that, according to the Soviet Constitution, education is free. Furthermore, he stresses that the levy violates the Soviet philosophy of the significance of education in Soviet life.

Stipends

Even those people who received an educational stipend got no more than 2,400 rubles, while the minimum charge for any graduate is 5,000 rubles. Furthermore, under Soviet Law, education is paid for out of taxation. Chalidze argues that if you pay the levy, then you are entitled to get the tax back. The statute of limitations on debts in Russia is three years. Yet people who completed their studies decades ago are being asked to repay a supposed debt, he notes. The levy is in direct contradiction to the Soviet signed convention prohibiting debt bondage. Yet this is a debt being imposed which can only be repaid by human labour. This puts the person in perpetual bondage, in the view of the Russian legal expert.

Without any exception, people urged that, despite this new factor, we must not lose sight of the dangers of arrest and detention which some people are facing. The foremost of these is Leonid Slepak, who was the target of a particularly vicious attack in an article in "Moscow Pravda" two weeks ago. In an article condemning Illya Glazer, a lengthy section is devoted to accusing Slepak of being as guilty as Glazer. According to people in Moscow, this is a clear sign that the authorities intend arresting Slepak in the near future. The informants beg that there be wide-scale protests about it in the West.

They also reported that a new prison camp had been opened at Perm. Its trustees (prisoners given minor administrative and command tasks) are Nazi war criminals. This has meant that there has been substantial brutality to the Jewish prisoners at their hands, and, in general, the conditions of Jewish prisoners have deteriorated.

They noted that there are many prisoners whose cases have not been raised in the West, and others of whom nothing at all is known. They expressed concern about the case of some who were not sentenced for Zionist offences but for other alleged crimes, but who have subsequently identified with the other Jewish prisoners, renouncing their citizenship and demanding exit visas; in some cases their families are starving and nobody supports them.

They also expressed anger about Jews who attend conferences in the U.S.S.R. and make no protest about the plight of the Jews there. When the existence of the conference is known at least a year in advance and the list of delegates made public, why is there no contact made with these Jews, suggesting that they don't go, or that if they do that they protest. At the very least they say the Jewish conference delegates could go to a local synagogue to show solidarity.

Complaints

However, not all was complaints. The leaders asked that this very specific message be made public.

We understand about bureaucratic indifference at the Jewish Agency and the Ministry of Absorption, but we prefer the most bureaucratic and least comfortable urban or absorption centre to the most comfortable life in the Soviet Union. We prefer the least polite Jewish Agency or Absorption Ministry functionary to the most polite KGB man.

It is notable that there isn't anger at Israel so much as sadness for the errors and omissions. They declared a tremendous gratitude and love for what Western Jewry has done. It's so profound that it can't be described. They keep saying thank you, thank you, over and over again.

Speaking about their needs, the informants stressed that everywhere they are crying out for more Hebrew lesson books. They are still handcopying "Elef Miltm," and they beg that more copies be brought or sent in to them. They also need radios, tape recorders and typewriters so that they can maintain greater contact with the outside world and among themselves.

Prisoners' wives

Wives of prisoners need material support which they say is very much lacking.

People who have applied for visas said that they are aware that a lot of money is being raised for them abroad, but they don't see it, not even packages of foods purchased with these funds. They noted that packages were being sent to people who had already left for Israel, and asked that the names of those arriving in Israel be reported so that efforts are not wasted in this way. They also expressed their appreciation for all

the phone calls they receive, but stressed that it would be much better if those activists who got to Israel were given the means to phone them, rather than the people approached to do so by Israel authorities.

In terms of the way money is spent, they cannot understand why so little use is made of the Jews who get out to Israel. It would be quicker and more efficient if those who get away were listened to for policy formation and for maintaining the necessary contact with those still in Russia.

Certificates

There is only one known case where a person has actually received a certificate giving them Israel citizenship. Ernst Levine and his wife from Minsk. They say that they know that it is possible to get these certificates into the country. They asked that the Dutch Embassy be pressed into handing them. At the very least, they say, Israel Radio could have broadcast the names of those to whom citizenship had been granted.

They stress that they need these certificates because it forms the basis of their claims. If they have renounced Soviet citizenship and have not got their Israel citizenship, it places them in the greatest danger. Under Russian Law, a stateless person is required to be specially registered, can be sent from his place of residence to a place selected by the State, requires permission to move from place to place, and is subject to surveillance. They are outraged at this jeopardizing of their lives, and they cannot understand why Israel does this to them.

Bitterness

One other point on which they expressed bitterness is over the fact that some documents which are smuggled out are suppressed. It is a hazardous business for the people who prepare, and get these documents out of the country. It is an unspeakable offence to a Soviet Jew who has gone to this trouble not to circulate and publish this material. Articles which they know have reached Israel and established Jewish leaders in the West have submerged mysteriously and never appeared in public. Those in Israel and the West have no moral right to suppress such documents, they said with deep anger.

Among the other requests they made was that there be organized visits all the year round by knowledgeable people, not just visits by youngsters in the summer. They begged that the Voice of America and the B.B.C. broadcast some news of

what's happening within the U.S.S.R. They also want more contact with Jews in France, Germany, Sweden and such places where it is easier to establish links.

The leaders whom this visitor met were not religious, though they were all totally committed to Zionism, and they were all unmistakably and unequivocally Jews. For them, the rule of Halacha in marriage issues in Israel is a disaster. They see it as being remote from their reality, and they know that after they win the terrible struggle in Russia, they face another one in Israel as the number of Jews who have married non-Jews in the Soviet Union is considerable. This whole issue is one of great concern, and they asked for copies of the decision in the Shalit case and of the Nationality Law.

Anxiety

The overall picture of aliyah-consciousness today is hard to estimate. It is a picture of continual, never-ending harassment and with the growing anxiety, it is thought that the numbers actually applying to leave have dropped.

In Minsk, there are about 70,000 Jews, but it is estimated that to date only a few hundred have actually arrived in Israel. The aliyah movement has only begun there in the last year, but it is a growing centre and 4,000 have made applications for exit permits.

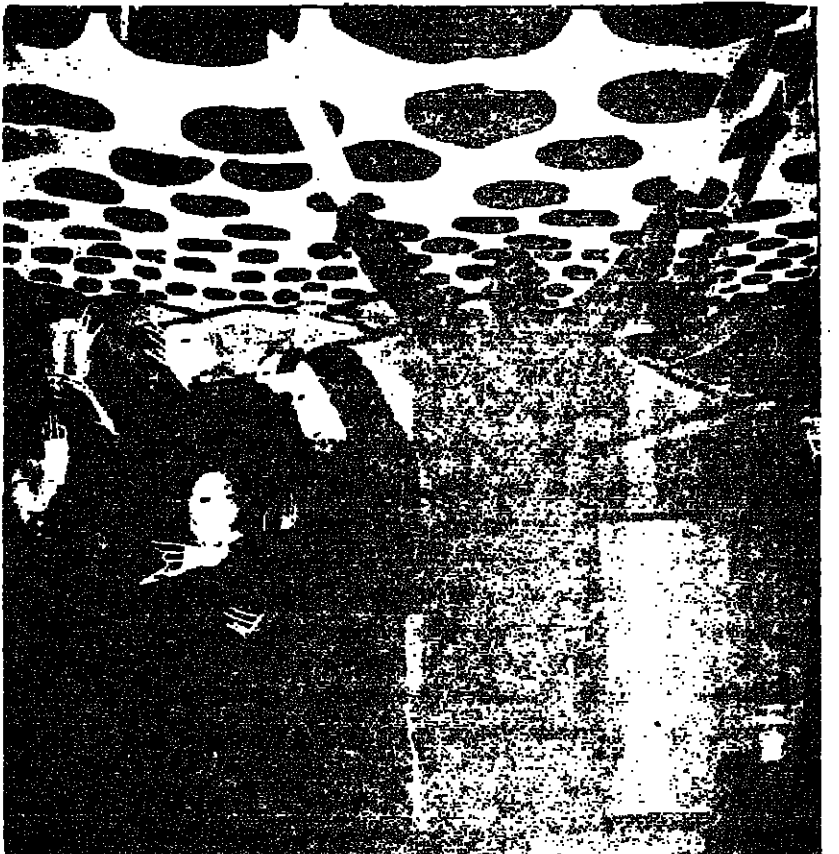
Some 3,000 of Riga's 30,000 Jews have already left and it is believed that another 10,000 at least are ready to go.

The Jews of Leningrad speak of it as a city of fear. There is continual, never-ending harassment and with the best leadership wiped out in the two trials, only a handful carry on the struggle. Out of 300,000 Jews, only 500 have got out and about 1,000 have made applications for exit permits. It is believed that the potential is massive.

All the leaders made it clear that the situation will last for decades and calls for rational, long-term planning. They asked that the people in Israel and in the West organize these activities. They say that they must not be left to do all the organizing themselves.

16 drown off Finland

HELSINKI (AP). — Sixteen men were drowned early yesterday when a dredger capsized outside Pietarsaari Harbour on the north-western coast of Finland. The authorities said that 20 men were on board at the time of the accident.



Jerusalem's new theatre company in action. (Photo by Quinn)

'Heavy Bulky Puppets' dignify the trivial

AT THE THEATRE

MASADA. Adapted from The Bread and Puppet Theatre by The Heavy Bulky Puppet Theatre of Jerusalem. Tsavta Club.

A TINY new Jerusalem company amusingly calls itself the Heavy Bulky Puppet Theatre. It has put on "Masada" for the last two Saturdays at Tsavta.

The actors in "Masada" are costumed and heavily masked in rough-hewn style of Peter Schumann's Bread and Puppet Theatre. Ordinary human activity — eating, drinking, dancing — is dignified by these figures. Human gestures are rescued from their triviality, and given a weight a naturalistic actor couldn't support.

The extending of a hand, the passing of a cup by one of these massive figures to the next, more engrosses than the development of a plot, or a revelation of character, in the unstylish theatre. The Tsavta audience watched the working out of these puppet-fates with sharp attention. The almost doll-house

The Heavy Bulky Puppet Theatre is now the only company performing regularly in Jerusalem. This reflects rather badly on theatre life here. The company has spirit and inventiveness, but no capital. It reminds me of Philip Diskin's Ma'agal Theatre, at the time he was working on "Ubu Roi." Props were found in the oddest places; someone would say, "There's such a good dustbin at the top of Ben Yehuda Street" and a costume would be retrieved from the dustbin. The new company works in the same foraging way as the Ma'agal, and deserves the same kind of audience. DENNIS SILK

Tsavta stage had never before been so crammed with meaning.

The narrative-line of "Masada" unusually works against its marvelous tableaux. I ignored what struck me as the simplism of the plot.

In the afternoon, the company had put on a production for children. It performed "The King's Story" and a version of "The Little Prince." "The King's Story" combines rod-puppets, a dragon and a masked warrior animated from within by actors and effective little masks supported from sticks.

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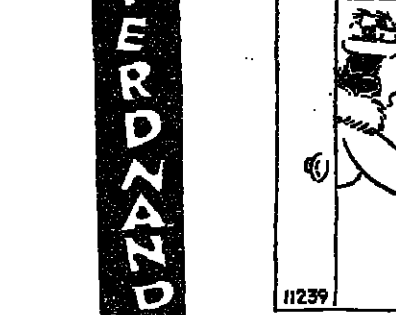
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Israel Museum: 10 a.m.-6 p.m.; Tues. Shrine of the Book, 10 a.m.-10 p.m.; Tuesday, Museum 4 p.m.-10 p.m.; Friday, Saturday, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Exhibitions: Bnei Eitrat (Sports Hall); Sport Posters (Goldman-Schwartz Hall); Contemporary Prints - from the Museum's Collection (Cohen Hall); Creative Works by Children and Games (Youth Wing); Puppets (Youth Wing); Artists Book (in hon. of the International Book Year) (Library Hall); Special Exhibit: Sir Jacob Epstein: Bronze Head of Shalom Asch. Concluded Tours: 1. Concluded Tours - by appointment only, Tel. 5533; Jerusalem, Tel. 5533. Owing to school vacation there will be no tours from the Strauss Health Centre until reopening in December 1, 1972. Tours of the Medical Centre remain as usual.

Israel Film: - Visual Presentation of "The Haddassah Story" with visit to the Chagall windows, 9.30 a.m.-11 a.m., 12 p.m., 2 p.m., 4 p.m., 6 p.m., 8 p.m. Building. No charge. Buses - 19 and 27. Hebrew University, conducted tours in English, 7.30 a.m. and 10 a.m. starting from the lobby of the Administration Building at the Givat Ram Campus and at 2.30 a.m. from the Truman Research Institute at the Mount Scopus campus.

REEL AVIV: Tel Aviv Museum, Sderot Shaul Hamelech, Photos 200 graphic works (Hall No. 3). Other exhibitions: Israeli painting and sculpture (Meirowitz Hall); The Museum Collections (Baglan Hall, Zacks Hall); Kinetic Art (Hall Hall). Hours: Sun, Mon, Wed, Thurs, 10-11.45; Tues, 10-12; Fri, 10-12; Sat, 10-12. Free guided tours in English at 11.30 a.m. Helena Rubinstein Pavilion, temporarily closed, owing to renovations.

Museum Ha'aretz: Ramat Aviv (1) Glass Museum; (2) Kadmon Numismatic Museum; (3) Ceramics Museum; (4) Music, Ethnography and Folklore; (5) Museum of Science and Technology; (6) Tel Quasim Excavations; Wed.-10 a.m. Tel Aviv University: Free conducted tours in English of RAMAT AVIV CAMPUS daily (except Saturdays) 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at University 10.30 a.m. Public Relations Dept. Transportation by public buses 25, 26, 79, 80. Free transportation on Mondays and Wednesdays - from hotels: 9.40 a.m.

CINEMAS

JERUSALEM (4-7-8) ARMON: Tales of Beatrix Potter; OREN: Les Bidasses on Felle; EDEN: Little Fanny and Big Money; EDISON: Three Men in a Boat; SEEMAN: Far from the Madding Crowd; HARBIZ: Valdes is Coming; JERUSALEM: Airport; OREN: Nuris; OREN: The Gang that could not shoot straight.

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SECOND PROGRAMME News: 5.05, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00 and 11.00 a.m. noon, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 10.00 and 11.00 p.m.

FIRST PROGRAMME 7.25 a.m. Opening. 8.05 Programme announcements. 8.10 Musical Journey: North-American Composers in South-America. 8.25 Musical Cabaret: Frederic Chopin. 10.05 "From our Concert Hall. 10.05 (Broadcast from the Philharmonic Orchestra, conducted by Michael Tilson-Thomas. Monteverdi: Sonata "Santus Maria"; Varese: "Deserts"; Stravinsky: Symphony in Three Movements. 11.05 Songs and Madrigals. 11.15 Programme for Siemens-Heldt School. 2.35 Special Programme for Brazil: Day of Independence. 1.00 Close Down.

1.25 a.m. Opening. 2.10 Mother and Child. 3.05 News from the Record Library. 3.15 Paul Landon. 4.05 A Moment of Hebrew. 4.05 Book Review. 4.10 Literature for High Schools. 4.30 Concert: "The Golden Age of the Harpsichord". Partita No. 2 in D-minor for Violin Solo; Schubert: Fantasy Opus 28 (with Brooks Smith). 5.05 News and Views. 5.15 Serenade Melancolique and Kovaly (from Spring Serenade) with Chamber Orchestra and Programme of The Employee and the Employer. 5.35 Announcements. 6.05 News and Views. 6.15 "Waves of Sound" - a musical magazine produced by Y. Hirschberg. 6.55 For the Teacher. In the News and the President's Year Greetings. 7.30 "A Bit of Music". 7.50 Bits Reading. 8.05 Programme Announcements. 8.10 Chief Rabbi Yitzhak Naiman's New Year Greetings. 8.20 Prof. Hugo Bergson (reprint). 8.45 Sounds from a New Era. From the activities of the U.S. Cultural Center in Israel: Monte Carlo. Songs for Piano-Four-Hands (Sarah Fuxon-Heyman and the Composer); Charles Ives: Sonata for 4 Pianos; Joseph Haydn (Kenneth and Flora Search); Ingolf Dahl: Duetting Concertante for Flute and Piano (John Heitman and Barry Silverman); Louis Fesq (Timothy Housman, Rafta and Nietzsche (Gila Yaron-Sogran and Avi Frenkel); Concerto directed by Shalom Ronly-Riklis). 10.05 Family Magazine. 11.07 "Chamber Music" Mozart Piano Quartet in E-flat major; Chopin: Nocturne Opus 9 No. 3; Schubert: String Quintet No. 10 in E-flat major (The Marlboro quartet). 12.00 A moment of Poetry. 12.05 Close Down.

SECOND PROGRAMME 4.57 a.m. Opening. 5.05 Programme announcements. 5.10 Moment of Hebrew. 5.15 Press Review. 5.15 Hebrew Songs. 7.55 "Green Light". 8.10 "Good Morning". 8.15 "Festa Zionism". 9.00 "Good Morning" (cont.). 9.45 The Small Ad Corner. 10.05 Housewife's Corner. 11.40 Where to go and How to get there. 12.05 Programme for the Worker and the Employer. 12.30 "At Midday" - News and Music. 1.15 "Festa Zionism". 1.20 "Festa Zionism". 1.25 "Festa Zionism". 1.30 "Festa Zionism". 1.35 "Festa Zionism". 1.40 "Festa Zionism". 1.45 "Festa Zionism". 1.50 "Festa Zionism". 1.55 "Festa Zionism". 2.00 "Festa Zionism". 2.05 "Festa Zionism". 2.10 "Festa Zionism". 2.15 "Festa Zionism". 2.20 "Festa Zionism". 2.25 "Festa Zionism". 2.30 "Festa Zionism". 2.35 "Festa Zionism". 2.40 "Festa Zionism". 2.45 "Festa Zionism". 2.50 "Festa Zionism". 2.55 "Festa Zionism". 3.00 "Festa Zionism". 3.05 "Festa Zionism". 3.10 "Festa Zionism". 3.15 "Festa Zionism". 3.20 "Festa Zionism". 3.25 "Festa Zionism". 3.30 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Building industry still plagued by shortage of cement supplies

By DAVID KRIVINE
Jerusalem Post Economic Correspondent

DESPISE protestations by the authorities that supplies are ample, a shortage of cement continues to plague the building industry. "The Government should take over the import of this material, to break once and for all the holdup that is inflating construction costs," Mr. David Stern, President of the Building Contractors Federation, told *The Jerusalem Post* on Tuesday.

Imports are at present handled by the Nesher Cement Company, which also owns all Israel's cement factories. Nesher has continuously denied that there is any overall shortage of cement, attributing local scarcities to technical causes, such as difficulties of unloading at port, or hoarding by individual merchants.

But bottlenecks have continued for so long that observers now query whether Nesher is importing enough. The company claims it loses on every import shipment because it has to sell at the local controlled price of ILS10 a ton. This would seem a sufficient explanation of what is alleged to be a cheese-paring import programme.

Mr. Stern said: "Construction work is often held up for weeks at a time. Delays mean burning money, what with the building costs index going up by one or 1.5 per cent a month. The authorities should take the matter in hand. Needed is a one-time import, 15 per cent ahead of total demand, to create a reserve. If the importers cannot do it, then the Government should."

Builders are scared that present hand-to-mouth policies will create

a crisis in the winter. "If it is difficult to unload cement now, imagine what it will be like when the citrus export season starts," one of them told *The Post*. Mr. Stern (who recently succeeded Mr. Abraham Goldstein M.E. as head of the Builders Federation) took this subject up: "We need a crash import programme to get these stocks accumulated before port facilities become overloaded." The Federation has been pressing for cement to be imported in two-ton containers, not individual sacks that create stevedoring problems.

Cement is not the only building material in scarce supply. "There is a shortage of 10,000 bathroom sinks, 10,000 kitchen sinks and 10,000 toilet bowls," Mr. Stern declared. Builders have to buy foreign supplies, paying a 45 per cent tariff. "Why not abolish this tariff for a year or two, until the local manufacturing capacity catches up with demand?" he asks.

Mr. Stern recalls that, when a shortage of floor tiles developed and their prices doubled, the Housing Ministry arranged for the import of sufficient quantities from abroad to smash the black market.

In general: "There is no detailed forecast of future demand for building materials in Israel. We in the Federation have commissioned a study of our own, to calculate the needs for 1973. It is being carried out by a reputable firm of economic consultants. Last week, representatives of the Housing and Defence Ministries and the Public Works Ministry met at a meeting with us to supply all the information needed for this project," he said.



Petah Tikva firemen demonstrate a new fire engine which has a particularly strong water pump. Similar engines have been ordered by other Israeli fire brigades. (Starphot)

Concorde jets may be bought by instalments

LONDON (AP). — Airlines will be able to buy the Anglo-French supersonic airliner, the Concorde, on an instalment plan. The formation of a new company — called European Supersonic Aviation — was announced yesterday to cushion the multi-million dollar plunge airlines must take to go faster than sound.

International finance, including American money, is behind the scheme.

A statement said the company would offer a leasing facility, with no large initial deposit required.

It said: "The unusual structure of the lease provides for a payment virtually equal to the anticipated working life of the aircraft, plus a low rate of interest fixed for the whole of that period."

The plan is expected to give the Concorde a boost.

Its high cost is believed to be a major factor holding world airlines back from buying at a time when most are only just emerging from a profits trough.

So far only the flag airlines of Britain and France, plus Iran and Communist China, have placed firm orders for Concorde.

TEL AVIV STOCKS Prices seen irregular

TEL AVIV. — Before the opening, the stock exchange observed a minute's silence in memory of the 11 members of the Israel Olympic team. The general atmosphere was depressed, but this mood was only partially carried over to the trading itself. The opening round was moderately weaker but in the variables many prices firmed, so that the overall picture of stock prices is best described as irregular.

Those who expected the sad events to trigger a selling wave, were surprised by the readiness of the market to buy up the shares which have been offered. The turnover decreased to ILS7m, of which ILS4m. have been traded in the variables against working life of the aircraft, plus a low rate of interest fixed for the whole of that period."

Sudden demand for Oz Investment in the variables caused a rise of 11 points to 205. Delek rose 3 points on very good turnover of 115,200 shares to close at 182. Israel Paper Mills rose 20 points to 5,000 shares only; this might be connected with the special general meeting to be held this afternoon.

ILDC lost 5 points to close at 233.5 on heavy trading of 82,700 shares. Africa Israel 4 points on 10,900 shares. Israel Electric, one of the few shares still dealt in below 100 added another half-point to the one point it gained the previous day, with a daily volume of about 40,000.

Wolfsol, which lost 4 1/2 on Tuesday, regained 2 in yesterday's opening but gave up half a point to close at 123 (48,000). Dubek quietest down and rose 3 points to close at 379.

Dollar bonds firmed, especially those dealt-in in foreign currency.

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6% Electric Corp. A	r	—	—
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Kita 1968, Index 110.1	b	—	—
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FUELS UTILITIES			
Electric Corp.	r	63.5	63
Banking Insur. & Finance	r	—	—
Ozar Hahayut	r	267	268.5
I.D.B. Bankholding	r	215.5	217.5
Union Bank	r	254	254
Gen. Mortgage Bank	b	210	216
Israel British Bank	b	352	352
Discount Bank - A	r	460	460
United Mizrahi Bank	b	197	197
Bank Leumi - 10%	b	327	331
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Bank Leumi - B	r	324.5	324.5
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London's universally famous red double-decker buses really are the same anymore. A large number of big concerns are to use the buses as their own mobile advertising platform. has been adorned with hoarding and dog-racing figures to help one of London's biggest bookmaking firms.

Vydra gives bleak shipping picture

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The Director of the Research Institute, Dr. Vydra has warned that Israel is losing overseas foreign vessels. He concedes a grave development in political security and viewpoints. He called on the Government and the shipping companies to get together and work to change the situation.

Dr. Vydra told the press on Tuesday he considered it essential that the Government should take the lead in the east half of the country's import exports to be carried in tonnage, whereas in fact the tonnage has gone down to less than 50 per cent.

Statistics just published by the Ministry of Shipping, which is the authority for Israel flag ships, showed that the tonnage of Israeli flag ships had gone down from 474,000 tons in 1963-64 to 466,000 tons in 1970-71. 7.7 million tons of dry goods and exports, shipped to the ports during 70-71, only 15 per cent was carried by Israeli flag ships, down from a high of 25 per cent in 1963-64, when there had been 3.7 million tons of cargo.

Dr. Vydra noted that in major export categories, such as citrus, less than 10 per cent of the cargo is carried by Israeli flag ships. He complained that the Government had neglected the home trade, while concentrating more and more on routes between foreign ports. In the event of an emergency, when foreign flag ships might keep away from Israel, this could be very serious. Furthermore, the fact that so few of our ships call at their home ports affects our seamen.

He also thought Israel shipping companies had "lagged behind" in modernizing their fleets, and had not kept up with the specialization process to container ships on the one hand and single-deck ships for bulk carrying on the other. As a result, he had been left with freighters unsuitable for the new trends in the shipping and were relying on foreign vessels to carry cargo that are vital to our trade and indeed economic survival. Through co-operation between the government and the companies, a wise modernization plan could be worked out and the situation saved.

M. Gidron new tourism spokesman

Mr. Michael Gidron has been appointed spokesman of the Tourism Ministry, replacing Mr. Haim Klein. Mr. Gidron, who took up his new post as of September 1, has for the past four years headed the Israel Tourist Office in Boston. Mr. Klein, the previous spokesman, continues as director of the Ministry's public relations and public relations division.

Australian dollar may be upvalued soon

CHRISTOPHER BECK

MELBOURNE (ANS). — The Australian dollar will probably be revalued soon; it may be at its present parity with the U.S. dollar. The kernel of the re-issued annual report of the Bank, the nation's central bank, has been published.

It has been pointed out that in the last nine months by bankers and some senior officials that upvaluation of the Australian dollar is inevitable. The report is the Bank's first in five years and the work of the Australian dollar is the world's strongest currency in two years it has been almost every one of the on the Australia's foreign reserves notched up steadily in some months as much as \$450 million.

It has made a variety of suggestions. First, it says that the Australian dollar ought to be allowed a more flexible exchange rate, which would let it float upward. Revaluation of the sort would be anti-inflationary in two ways. It would make imports cheaper, pressuring Australian industry to keep its prices low and cut the value of Australia's exceptional foreign reserves.

Second, the Bank believes Australians should be allowed to buy shares overseas. Third, it suggests that foreign capital inflow be restricted so that the borrowing guidelines of overseas companies be removed allowing them to raise loans on the local market thus reducing their need to import capital. And, fourth, the reduction of tariffs to help moderate prices and reduce the growth of external reserves.

POWER OF LABOUR COUNCILS DWINDLES

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Local labour councils, once the backbone of the Histadrut organization, have been disintegrating steadily in the past 10 years under the impact of the activities of the national trade unions, centrally directed financial control and overall cultural activity of the Histadrut.

The Histadrut Comptroller and its elected control committee both agree that the councils have been saved from becoming a liability only if they are given new aims, and if the reform is carried out quickly and with firmness.

The report of the Comptroller, Mr. Shlomo Stanger, on the state of seven local labour councils was presented to a meeting of council secretaries. The localities discussed were Hadera, Zichron Yakov, Tiberias, Yavne, Gedera, Lod and Azor.

"The Secretary-General of the Histadrut, Mr. Yitzhak Ben-Aharon, said in his comment on the report that the Histadrut leadership has long been aware of the dwindling role of local councils, and that measures to reverse the process have already been taken. But the labour councils were political bodies, not purely administrative organizations, and their functionaries were elected by parties "who do not always send the men the Histadrut needs."

Traditions were changed with difficulty, Mr. Ben-Aharon added, pointing out to the resistance from party and local functionaries to the merger of small and inefficient councils into bigger bodies. Only two such mergers could be carried out in the past year, although the organization department of the Histadrut estimates that the 72 labour councils should be reduced at least by a third.

The central direction of finances proved beneficial, Mr. Ben-Aharon remarked. Most of the budgets for the current year were balanced and adopted on time. The central control "prevented one council from putting all its assets into the developing of one activity, only — football."

August exports at high level

By AARON SITTNER
Jerusalem Post Reporter

Exports during the month of August totalled \$83m, approximately the same as July, the Central Bureau of Statistics reported yesterday. In August 1971, shipments to overseas markets reached \$60.1m. Aside from the increase over the 1971 figure, the fact that last month's exports were similar to July's is considered significant, since there is usually a five per cent seasonal drop from July to August.

The Bureau also said that the average monthly value of exports during the past four months stood at approximately \$92m, compared with \$81m during the first quarter of this year and \$71m during the first half of 1971.

Exports during the first eight months of this year totalled \$738m, compared with \$620m in the same period of 1971. This represents an increase of 19 per cent. The growth in exports, however, was even greater during the first eight months of 1971 to \$238m, the same period this year.

Hotel school for North

Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — The first major hotel school for the North was opened on Tuesday at the former Dvir Hotel on Panorama Road by the Labour Ministry which bought the property for ILS2m. The school will train 40 boys and as many girls, aged 14 to 18, as cooks, waitresses and waiters for two years.

Labour Minister Almogi, who attended the opening, said further courses would also train receptionists and adults in various hotel trades. The 36-room hotel is to be expanded to 60 rooms, at an additional cost of ILS2m, and will admit paying guests willing to put up with the shortcomings of a staff still in training — like the Tadmor Hotel at Herzliya.

The Carmel school succeeds one that had been accommodated until now at the Panorama Hotel, and the Dan Carmel Hotel's industrial school. Later on, the cookery and waiters school, now conducted for ex-students at the Seaman's Hostel, will also be transferred to the new school.

Labour Ministry officials who said it was now the only establishment of its kind, apparently are unaware of the existence of an Amal trade school for the catering trade in Nahariya. The number of persons training in the North under Labour Ministry auspices for the hotel trade is about 200, not enough to meet the needs of the area.

500-room hotel for Bat Yam

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Construction will begin next summer on the Sabra Mediterranean Hotel, a 500-room combination tourist-and-"second home" apartment establishment in Bat Yam. The ILS40m structure will be built by a subsidiary of Rubin-Canadian Development and Investments Company, of Toronto.

Mr. Jack Stewart, a former real estate developer of Miami Beach, has been named executive sales director of Sabra Mediterranean, whose sales office will open in Tel Aviv in a few weeks.

Israeli Arab gets Ministry post

A 22-year-old Israeli Moslem has been appointed assistant to the director of the Moslem Department in the Ministry of Religious Affairs. It was announced in Jerusalem yesterday.

The appointee, Ahmed Hassan Natur, was born in Kalansawa in the eastern Sharon but is now a resident of East Jerusalem. He is studying political science at the Hebrew University.

Women get lower pay at Gat canning plant

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Women workers at the Gat canning works of Kibbutz Givat Haim get lower pay than their male co-workers, according to the latest issue of "At," the women's magazine. The starting pay of a woman worker is ILS17 per day, compared to ILS20 for a man.

The canning factory belongs to the Kibbutz of Histadrut Secretary-General Yitzhak Ben-Aharon, who is currently waging a stiff fight with the Elite concern over equal pay for women workers.

The report in "At" also charged the Kibbutz-owned canning factory with according worse working conditions to women than to men workers; for one thing, men get tenure much earlier than women.

New rail link in Tel Aviv planned

TEL AVIV. — Planning has begun of a 4.5 kilometre double-track railway to link the Arlosorov station in North Tel Aviv to the South where trains leave for Jerusalem and BeerSheva.

The construction will take two and half years, Mr. Yehuda Reshef, the general manager of Israel Railways, announced in a New Year message addressed to railway workers yesterday. The line will follow the Netivei Ayalon speedway, on a 16-metre-wide stretch which had been reserved for the purpose.

When the ILS11m project is completed, trains would be able to run from Nahariya to Jerusalem and Dimona.

WALL STREET Dow Jones declines

NEW YORK. — The Dow Jones average of 30 industrial stocks closed at 963.43, down 5.94.

Foreign Exchange

(Yesterday's Interbank rates, London)

Currency	Rate
Dollar	2.4492/94 per £
DM	3.1882/92 per \$
Swiss Franc	3.7790/7800 per \$
French Fr.	5.0005/5.0015 per \$
French Fr.	4.823/31% per \$
Yen	300.50/301.10 per \$
Lira	531.15/525 per \$
Dutch Fl.	3.2264/74 per \$
£ fine gold per ounce	\$66.85/67.15

INTERBANK INTEREST RATES IN LONDON:

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3 Months	1 1/2%	1 1/2%
6 Months	1 3/4%	1 3/4%
12 Months	2%	2%

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FROM THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR

in accordance with the decisions of the Government of Israel and the recent Laws, anyone from the Administered Territories working in Israel must do so through the Labour Exchanges operating in the said Territories.

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in working in Israel without operating through the Labour Exchange is breaking the law and regulations in the Territories a Israel. Such transgressions lead to termination of employment, loss of permission to leave the Administered Territories, legal findings and fines or imprisonment.

Japan may open air office here

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Japanese Airlines is weighing the possibilities of opening an agency in Israel. Mr. Jiro Katsuta, the assistant manager of the public relations department of Japanese Airlines, left the country on Monday after a short preparatory survey of the Israeli market.

As a first stage, it has been decided that Japanese Airlines will open an office in Athens. Its director, Mr. J. Nakamura, will also be responsible for Israel. *The Jerusalem Post* has learned that the following phase will most likely be the opening of an agency in Israel.

MORE TOURISTS GOING TO U.S.

SAN DIEGO, Calif. (AP). — More foreign tourists are coming to the U.S. since the dollar was devalued, says Assistant Secretary of Commerce James L. Hamilton.

The number of Europeans arriving in the U.S. on "visit" arrivals was 36 per cent in June "and arrivals from Germany alone were 47 per cent higher than last June's total," he said. From France, the figure was reported as 45 per cent greater and from Japan as 37 per cent.

"The devaluation of the dollar and the revaluation of the mark, the yen and other currencies are having a dramatic impact," Hamilton said in a speech Tuesday.

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SQUARING THE ACCOUNT

WHEN three Lebanon-trained young Japanese turned their machineguns on arriving passengers at Lod Airport three months ago it seemed very terrible that victims should be picked at random in this way.

Now that Arab terrorists have succeeded in mowing down the cream of our male athletes and trainers, it seems more terrible still that victims should be chosen in a group.

The German authorities tried to do what Israel security forces might have attempted at home, rescue the hostages. Had they waited for the first light there might have been no panic shooting in the dark, and they might have succeeded.

ISRAEL PRESS

MUNICH MASSACRE

Yesterday's editorials were written before the massacre of the nine hostages in Munich, and while negotiations were still going on with the terrorists who had already killed two Israelis.

Davar (Hiladrut) writes: "The dastardly deed of the Arab terrorists in Munich calls for only one conclusion by Israel: War to the end against these murderous organizations, their members, supporters and despatchers — wherever they may be. No country has exerted itself to the utmost in order to avert such attacks, and not a single one of them would have the moral right to protest against any action which might be taken in order to put an end to the war of terror against Israel."

Ha'aretz (non-party) casts responsibility on the German Government, for not having attended to the safety of the members of the Israeli delegation. Calling for a war to the bitter end against the terrorists, the paper says that no Government is exempt from this obligation — "which is incumbent upon the German Government in particular."

Haatzofe (National Religious) writes: "The Olympic Games, which were to have symbolized peace and brotherhood among nations, have been transformed into a blood-bath and the maltreatment of innocent sportsmen. The surrender of the German Government in the past to the extortion of the terrorists has prepared the ground for terrorist activity on German soil."

dangerous still, it is being less carefully acted upon.

Despite the total disaster, credit must go to the German decision to act rather than simply submit to the terrorists' demands, which would have been the result in a good many other countries unwilling to mix in Israel-Arab affairs.

The Germans could not abandon the captured Israelis — Daohau is too near Munich. But German President Heinemann at the memorial service for the victims also gave the lead to an important realization that has since been widely echoed.

It is that the Arab terrorists could not act if they were not given moral and material support by the Arab governments, and that it is here that the accounts must be squared. Chancellor Brandt sought the help of Egypt, with which Germany is about to resume official relations and was shocked to find no response.

We have lost 11 good men, and for this there can be no consolation and no way of making good the loss, but it will not affect the strength or future of Israel. Time may show that the last two actions, at Lod and in Munich, heralded the stage at which the Western world decided to protect itself against the Palestinian terrorist menace and ceased to give them freedom of movement.

Arab press condones Munich killings

The Arab press yesterday condoned the terrorist action at the Olympic Games.

The events in Munich covered the complete front pages of two of Cairo's three Arabic-language newspapers, which included negative comments on the action by the heads of the Syrian and Lebanese Olympic missions, who were quoted as saying the terrorist action should not have happened and did not further the Arab cause.

The news of the death of all nine hostages arrived too late for all but the final editions of "Al Ahram." Without knowledge of the airport deaths, the paper described the actions of the terrorists as a "daring and sudden operation which stunned the entire world."

"AL AHRAM" In Rome, "Al Ahram" editor Mohammed Heykal said that the terrorists who attacked the Israeli athletes were living in the past. "Unfortunately when people are put in desperate conditions they also act in a desperate manner," he said.

Both "Al Ahram" and "Al Akhbar" refrained from editorial comment on the Munich incident but devoted editorials to what they called Israeli terrorism.

Citing a recent Israeli military raid on a Mosque during Friday prayers, "Al Ahram" said "Israel is seeking to spread despair and humiliate the Arabs in the occupied territories."

"AL AKHBAE" "Al Akhbar," reviewing the "bloody birth" of Israel and "terrorism" since, said the campaign would never end the determination of the Palestinian peoples to liberate their homeland.

The English-language "Egyptian Gazette" said, "The world may call these crimes but it must expect them to continue until Palestinian rights are restored."

The paper agreed it was a crime to kill, but said it was also a crime to steal a whole country from its two million Palestinian inhabitants, adding:

"The Palestinians and their fellow Arabs have sought every possible means of winning back their rights from Israel but every peaceable method has failed."

The editorial, first to comment here on the invasion of the Israeli Olympic compound yesterday, continued, "No Arab, certainly no Palestinian, can claim the right to be at peace with himself or herself or with the world, until the Palestinians enjoy their full rights."

"As long... as Israel refuses justice it cannot expect the Arabs to leave it in peace.

"The Arab governments should now ask themselves if they are doing enough to prod the world into action for justice and peace. The honest answer can only be no," the paper said.

"AL ANWAR" "Munich Incident Ends with Trick" leftist "Al Anwar" said. Right Wing "As Safa" headlined "Commandos at Munich Victims of a Trap." The daily "Al-Liwa" read "German Betrayal."

The government-controlled radios in Syria and Iraq used similar words to describe the events in Munich.

"AL MOHARRER" The leftist "Al Moharrer," close to the commandos, scoffed at claims that the Munich attack would harm the Arab image.

"Public opinion has always been against the Arabs, never taking their side in the Israeli dispute into consideration. So public opinion needs a sharp blow to become impartial."

In Lebanon all morning newspapers published the Munich developments under banner headlines.

Two pro-Egyptian newspapers, "Al-Moharrer" and "Al-Yom," accused West German authorities of treachery and conspiracy in their negotiations with commandos who negotiated to the Black September group.

"LE SOIR" But the accusation was confined to their headlines. Other newspapers, including the French Language "Le Soir" and "L'Orient-Le Jour," said that the Palestine issue was one that should be taken to the United Nations and not to Munich.

"Le Soir" said the Palestine representative team had not been represented at the Olympic Games but yesterday they made a sensational entry in the grand stadium and the champions turned into gladiators. But no one applauded — not even the Arabs, who on the contrary, were dismayed."

"L'Orient-Le Jour" said that the Munich attack once more proved the futility of efforts to impose peace, in fact a surrender, on the Middle East.

"AS SABAH" In Tunis, the independent newspaper "As-Sabah" said that "one of the profound causes" of the Munich Olympic shootings was desperation which made the terrorists take such drastic action.

It was possible for Israel to have spared the Olympic Games the tragedy and to have relieved the sporting world from "the weight of this nightmare," "As-Sabah" commented.

The Tunis Afrique News Agency said that the Palestinians had been reduced to means which could be regretted or even deplored, but which were only explained by despair caused by being the victims of injustice for more than 20 years. (UPI, AP, Reuter)



Israelis with black draped flag sit in the Munich Olympic Stadium yesterday during the memorial service for the 11 murdered Israelis. (AP radiophoto)

WORLD LEADERS REACT WITH HORROR AND GRIEF

Heads of State and Government leaders around the world yesterday expressed their horror, shock and grief at the Munich killings.

Pope Paul VI sent a message of condolence to President Shazar. "With deep sadness we turn to you exhorting you to tell us of our sharp sorrow over the execrable deeds of Munich, and we join in sending condolences to the families of the victims," the Pontiff said.

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Waldheim confronted U.N. Secretary-General Kurt Waldheim expressed profound sorrow at the deaths, saying: "Words cannot express the revulsion and shock which all people must feel at this appalling event."

Four young members of a right-wing Zionist group earlier confronted Dr. Waldheim when they interrupted a meeting of the U.N. Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space.

One of them shouted: "Mr. Waldheim, we have a problem here about Arab terror in Munich. I was wondering what you planned to do about it?"

In Malaysia Tunku Abdul Rahman, Secretary-General of the 30-nation Islamic Secretariat and former Malaysian Premier, said, "It is sad that this should happen at the Olympic Games and I'm afraid that the cause of the Palestinian Arabs is going to lose some support and sympathy."

The Tunku said, "No right minded Moslem" could support the killings even though they regarded Palestinian terrorists as desperate people who could not be controlled.

He claimed that Moslem nations did not encourage such acts and "silently condemned" hijackings and other acts of violence.

Greece's revulsion Prime Minister George Papadopoulos of Greece, the nation which gave birth to the Olympic Games, spoke of his "deep revulsion" at the attack.

"The entire Greek nation, which has brightened the world with the Olympic light, feels the deepest revulsion at the bloody, criminal attack against the Israeli athletes, innocent victims of blind fanaticism," Papadopoulos said.

Premier Gaston Eyskens of Belgium said in a cable to Mrs. Meir that "the Belgian Government and people learned with horror about the tragic events which happened in Munich."

Italy's President Giovanni Leone described the attack as "execrable" in a telegram of condolence to President Shazar. He said: "The criminal terrorist attack is all the more execrable in that it offends those universal values of peace and brotherhood inspired by the Olympic Games."

All Jewish-run shops were closed in Rome yesterday, and the city's Chief Rabbi, Professor Elio Toaff, said in a statement that the terrorist attack showed how violence could degrade man and lead him down to the bottom of an abyss from which it would not be easy to rise again.

Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau said "I know that all Canadians share my outrage at terrorism wherever it occurs. Those feelings are made even more intense, however, when such cowardly and vicious attempts are committed at a time and place dedicated to the brotherhood of man."

Premier Olof Palme of Sweden said his government received word of the massacre with "dismay and disgust."

"We have repeatedly warned against violence as a means of struggle between nations and ethnic groups," Mr. Palme said.

In Oslo, Norway's Minister of Sports, Bjartmar Gjerd, said the attack would badly damage the international reputation of the Arab world.

"The Olympic Games should be cancelled," Mr. Gjerd said.

South Africa's Prime Minister John Vorster said in a statement, "The events in Munich cannot be condemned with enough emphasis. But to leave it with condemnation solves nothing and will help nobody."

"As long as church leaders and government organizations, and individuals subsidize and encourage terrorism, its circles will spread wider and wider until peaceful peo-

ple will find it very difficult if not impossible to meet for any purpose, and travellers will become scared to use air travel," Mr. Vorster said.

"If the shock of this despicable act is not followed up with action, one can foresee greater tragedies in which more innocent people will die," he added.

Australian Prime Minister William McMahon said in a cable to the Prime Minister: "The Australian people have learned with horror and a great sense of outrage of the barbarous attack made by terrorists."

Mexico President Luis Echeverria, deploring the assaults, said, "The protagonists of contemporary political conflicts should put their respective interests and passions apart from this peaceful sports and cultural meeting of the world's youth."

Luxembourg's Foreign Minister Gaston Thorn — who is in Munich for the Olympics — said in a statement the civilized world had the right to demand that Arab nations should "condemn once and for all this murder."

Canberra outraged Austrian President Franz Jonas and Chancellor Bruno Kreisky yesterday sent condolences to Israeli leaders. "I am deeply moved that so many promising young people from your country should have fallen victim to a criminally murderous attack," Mr. Jonas called President Shazar. Dr. Kreisky sent a separate message to Prime Minister Meir.

The Ethiopian Government said in a statement yesterday that "The government and people of Ethiopia are shocked by the acts which took the lives of athletes at the 20th Olympiad and strongly condemn the wanton destruction of human life."

The Danish Prime Minister Jens Otto Krag told Danish radio yesterday that the Munich shootings were a "shattering terror action which we must all utterly reject."

"We must also express some surprise that there was not better control in the Olympic Village," he said.

The independent Danish newspaper "Politiken" said yesterday: "The shattering terror action must be a serious warning to every other country, including Denmark."

"We must intensify control of the partisans' activities in our own territories. It is a duty for us to break off public links or official connections with states which continue to harbour terrorist organizations."

Swiss sorrow In Bern, the Swiss Government expressed its "consternation and deep sorrow" at the tragic events in Munich. A statement issued after the cabinet's weekly meeting said the Swiss Government condemned once again terrorism of all kinds, especially the taking of innocent hostages.

Holland's Prime Minister Barend Biesheuvel cabled Prime Minister Meir to express his cabinet's sympathy with the people of Israel and in particular with the relatives of the victims.

An Indian Government spokesman said yesterday that the killing of Israeli athletes at Munich was "senseless and condemnable" whatever the Arab disappointments and frustrations leading to it.

In a statement he said, "There is no justification for dragging terrorism into the area of sports" but he added India's support for the Arab cause was well known as it believes justice is on their side.

The Spanish Government expressed its regret at the bloody events in Munich which it said had tragically disrupted the peace and coexistence

that the West Germans showed in hosting the Olympic Games.

Eugene Carson Blake, General Secretary of the World Council of Churches, yesterday blamed Arab terrorists and German police alike for the shooting of the Israelis.

"I deplore these acts of the 'Black September' group, from which responsible Arab and Palestinian bodies have dissociated themselves," Mr. Blake said in a telegram to President Shazar.

Churchman accuses police "While this group bears the major responsibility for the tragedy, the violent police action at Fussenfeldbruck Airport must be condemned for its ineptitude and its callous disregard for the carefully negotiated plan designed to save the lives of the hostages," he said.

Secretary General of Nato, Joseph Luns, sent a message of condolences to Mrs. Meir, denouncing the "brutal murder" of the Israelis.

Mr. Luns said, "I sincerely accept my profound regret and deep-felt sympathy on the tragic events of Munich. This brutal murder, perpetrated under the most cowardly circumstances and in defiance of any moral consideration, has provoked the indignant condemnation of all civilized people."

Mr. Luns also sent a message of sympathy to West German Chancellor Willy Brandt.

In London, 'guerrillas,' in Munich, 'terrorists' Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA — The B.B.C. yesterday morning finally got around to using the word "terrorists" in a report from Munich correspondent Ian Mitchell about the Arab attackers.

Until now the B.B.C. had persistently called them "guerrillas" or "commandos" despite repeated complaints from Israel and in Britain as well.

During the five a.m. Radio News reel in the B.B.C. world service, the announcer in London, still calling the terrorists "guerrillas," passed the broadcast to Mitchell, undoubtedly influenced by what he had seen, immediately talked of the "terrorists" and stuck to this description. Only when the broadcast returned to London, were the terrorists again described as "guerrillas."

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Readers' letters "ESCAPE TO THE SUN" To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post: — As an immigrant and lawyer who came here three years ago from the U.S.S.R., I want to express my appreciation and recommendation of the film "Escape to the Sun." It shows the humiliating, painful and sometimes paradoxical positions which the Soviet Jewry know so well when they try to their exit visas for Israel. It also shows the mistakes and the setbacks to which desperation can lead as well as their heroism and solution to fight to leave at last. It also reminds us of prisoners of Zion now in Soviet jails.

In view of all this, it is surprising that your magazine "Post" does not suggest it for recommendation viewing. DAVID GARBEL Tel Aviv, August 27.

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NOTICE FROM THE BRAZILIAN EMBASSY

As a mark of deference and solidarity with the national grief, consequent to the attack that victimized the Israeli Olympic team, the Brazilian Embassy announces the cancellation of the reception scheduled to be held in the Tel Aviv Hilton Hotel on September 7, at 7 p.m. to commemorate the 150th year of the Independence of Brazil.

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